

**BONAR LAW
WON'T HEAD
NEW CABINET**

**King George Sends for Lloyd
George to Undertake
Reorganization.**

PREMIER ASQUITH STEPS DOWN

**Expected Shakeup in Britain's Government
Takes Unexpected Turn When
Cabinet Head Resigns; Lloyd George
is Likely to be the New Premier.**

By Associated Press.
LONDON, Dec. 6.—Mr. A. Bonar Law has declined the invitation of King George to form a new cabinet and the King has sent for David Lloyd George. Whether Mr. Lloyd George, whose action led to the dissolution of the coalition government and the resignation of Mr. Asquith, would have any greater success in forming a ministry than Mr. Bonar Law is a question which has not been answered. Political correspondents predict that Mr. Asquith will be back at the head of the government before many days.

BUCHAREST IS DOOMED.

WITH THE TECTONIC ARMIES BEFORE BUCHAREST, Dec. 6, via courier to Hermannstadt and wireless to the Associated Press via Saville, Dec. 6.—The armies of Field Marshal von Mackensen and General von Falkenhayn after a campaign, the rapidity of which has been almost unparalleled in military history, have crushed the resistance of the Rumanians and won almost instant victory and now having the Russian Rumanian forces before Bucharest, both to the north and the south the capital, are clamping their tentacles on the Rumanian city from three sides.

Whether the Rumanians will elect to surrender to defend the fortified capital is a question which the next few days will decide. The Associated Press correspondent was privileged to accompany the forces of von Mackensen and von Falkenhayn in their irresistible dash through Rumania. The seeming demoralization of the Rumanian troops would in the opinion of German military officers make an attempt to defend the fortress a desperate venture.

GAINS IN MACEDONIA.

PARIS, Dec. 6.—Further progress has been made by the Franco-Serbian forces on the Macedonian front, the war office announced today. During yesterday's fighting prisoners to the number of 125 were taken.

A violent artillery engagement is in progress north of Monastir.**WILSON'S BUSY DAY.**

He Plans Deeds to Take Up Job of Running Congress.

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—President Wilson disposed of a great number of engagements today to clear his calendar for the work of the first day of Congress.

He received the new council of national defense conferred with numerous senators and representatives, reviewed 800 champagne cork growers and canning club girls from Ohio, and touched a button giving a signal for the opening of the Tulare county citrus fruit fair at Visalia, Cal.

GET NEW HATS.

Democrats on Ways and Means Committee Recall a Promise.

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The 14 Democrats of the House ways and means committee blossomed out today in brand new hats and broad smiles.

Somebody recalled that on last July Representative Longworth of Ohio rose on the floor and promised to buy every Democrat on the committee a new hat if the next House were not Republican by a majority of a hundred.

U. S. SHIP SUNK.

Fired on by Submarine Without Warning, Sailors Declare.

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The steamship John Lambert listed in the maritime register as an American vessel, was shelled and sunk without warning by a German submarine off the Isle of Wight on November 22, according to members of the crew, Americans, who arrived here today on the French line steamship Espagne from Bordeaux.

Beats for Railroad Men.

BANGOR, Me., Dec. 6.—The decision of the Bangor & Argostown railroad to give a bonus of 4 per cent on wages earned in the last six months to all employees receiving less than \$2,000, was announced by President Percy R. Todd today.

Ship Galvin's Body.

The body of Frank Galvin, racing driver who died from injuries suffered at the Uniontown Speedway on Saturday, was shipped to the home of his mother in New Milford, Conn., last night.

**WHITE OPPOSES
HEALTH STANDARD**

Mine Workers' Head Talks Against Compulsory Physical Examinations for Employees.

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Compulsory physical examination for wage earners was opposed today by President John P. White of the United Mine Workers of America in an address before the Congress on social insurance. He said it meant only that those who passed the test would be subjected to greater strain than previously.

"As modern industries are organized today," said Mr. White, "the rejection of unfit men means not the protection of those who are accepted, but license to increase the strain upon them so that eventually they, too, or their descendants will be added to the class of unfit. In this respect the fate of the physically fit is like that of the flower of European manhood, mowed and slaughtered on the battle field."

"If physical examination of all persons is demanded on the broad ground of social welfare, then let it be administered by the state.

CONVICT WOMAN REPORTER

Found Guilty of Killing Politician for Alleged Insult.

By Associated Press.
THOMPSON FALLS, Mont., Dec. 6.—Miss Edith Colby, a newspaper reporter, was found guilty of murder in the second degree here today for shooting and killing A. C. Thomas, a politician. The penalty is 10 to 12 years imprisonment.

Miss Colby, 44 years old, shot Thomas on September 23 last after Thomas had asked her in the street without hearing her demand that she apologize for an alleged insult the day before.

Miss Colby alleged Thomas called her a "red light woman" when she reproached him for withholding news when she visited him in her capacity as a reporter for a newspaper in Thompson Falls. She asserted that John C. Manire, editor of the paper, and A. S. Alnoworth, its publisher, had urged her to make Thomas apologize and both were arrested on charges of having instigated the murder. Manire was acquitted. Alnoworth's case is pending.

WANTS RIVERS IMPROVED

Chief of Naval Staff Points to Their Need for Military Use.

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Inland waterways as military necessities in war time were advocated by Rear Admiral William S. Benson, chief of naval operations, in an address today before the National Rivers & Harbors Congress, which opened its three day annual convention.

Rivers of the Middle West should be improved, he declared, to assist in supplying the army and navy in emergency with wheat from the plains states and coal from the Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia fields.

FIRE AT BROOKLYN.

Storage House and Piano Factory Are Destroyed.

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Fire in the business district of Brooklyn destroyed the four story brick building occupied by the Flatbush Storage Company, burned part of the structure housing the piano factory of Freeborn G. Smith and slightly damaged adjoining properties with an estimated loss of \$500,000.

One policeman was injured. The collapse of a wall led to a mistaken report that six firemen were killed.

BRYAN IN WASHINGTON.

Peerless Leader Pays a Luncheon Visit to White House.

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—William J. Bryan and Mrs. Bryan were luncheon guests today at the White House and tonight Mr. Bryan is to be the honored guest at a dinner given by many Democratic admirers.

It is expected he may make some statement of his intention to devote the next four years to the cause of national prohibition.

Hearing Postponed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The preliminary hearing of Karl Armauerd Graves, self styled international spy charged with attempting to extort \$3,000 from Countess von Bernstorff, wife of the German ambassador, was further continued today until March 10.

Would Run Election Bets.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Prohibition of betting on elections was proposed in an amendment to the corrupt practices bill offered today by Senator Kenyon, Republican, of Iowa. Betting would be made punishable by a fine of \$500 for each offense.

**FIRE WIPES OUT PORTION OF OHIOPLYE;
FRAME STRUCTURES A PREY TO FLAMES;
CONNELLVILLE FIREMEN ANSWER CALL**

Row of Buildings, Including the Postoffice, in Doomed Block; OhioPLYE House in Danger, but Is Saved Through Gallant Work of Volunteers; Stiff Wind Fanned the Flames and Threatens Town.

Fire originating in the residence of Ann Saylor destroyed a considerable portion of the town of OhioPLYE early this afternoon. The Connellville fire department sent equipment on a special train leaving here about 1:30 o'clock. The town itself has no fire protection and it was expected a whole square of frame dwellings would be consumed.

Buildings destroyed were: Thomas Fleming's store, Mrs. Collins' residence, Brady sisters' residence, Building formerly occupied by the postoffice.

Ann Saylor's residence, Linderman's residence. The OhioPLYE House is just across the street from the scene of the fire.

Burdette & Saylor's store is located at the end of the square. Efforts were being made to save these buildings, the largest in the town. Information received at 3 o'clock was to the effect that the OhioPLYE House would be saved.

The buildings destroyed were two story frame structures and only one of them, that occupied by the Brady sisters, was piped for water, consequently nothing could be done to check the progress of the flames.

Practically the entire town turned out to help save the belongings of the residents whose homes were in the path of the fire. The arrival of the Connellville firemen was awaited with anxiety for the fire threatened to wipe out all the buildings on the street and

those on a side street just around the corner.

There were no casualties. F. M. Rush of Connellsville, is proprietor of the OhioPLYE House.

A high wind fanned the flames and caused them to spread rapidly. The estimated losses are as follows:

Ann Saylor, \$1,500; Brady heirs, \$4,000; Thomas Fleming, \$6,000; Morrison heirs, \$5,000; Mrs. Irwin, \$1,000; J. W. Chuck, \$10,000; Mrs. Robert Lingerman, \$2,000.

At 3 o'clock it was stated the fire was under control, although one or two more buildings might be destroyed. A defective flue is blamed for the fire.

**\$70,000 IN XMAS
CHECKS TO GO OUT
EARLY NEXT WEEK**

**Yough Trust Company Will
Mail Them to 2,800
Members.**

LOTS OF HOLIDAY MONEY FREE

Dink of That Which Has Accumulated During the Year Will Be Spent With the Merchants; Greater Number Keeps Up Payments in the Club.

Checks will be mailed early next week to about 2,800 members of the Yough Trust Company's Christmas Savings fund. In all about \$70,000 will be disbursed, thus swelling materially the amount of money available for Christmas shopping in the city. The total is about \$5,000 more than that of last year.

The increase this year is due to the fact that more members kept up their payments during the year. Money was more plentiful and they were enabled to continue throughout the year.

The fund is divided into clubs. Some members started paying 5 cents a week and increased 5 cents each week for 50 weeks. Others started with a payment of \$2.50 and paid 5 cents less a week for 50 weeks. The final payment in this class is \$63.75. Those who started with 2 cents a week and increased weekly or with \$1 and paid according to a decreasing ratio will receive \$25.50. Others who started with one cent or 50 cents and increased or decreased their payments weekly will get \$12.75. Members who paid 50 cents a week straight will get \$25 and those who paid \$1 a week will get \$50. Four per cent interest is added to these amounts.

The Christmas Savings fund is a feature of the Yough Trust Company, which has been successful that we have no thought of dropping it. We are adding a new class this year with an insurance feature in it. The Yough Trust Company was one of the first institutions to adopt the plan five years ago.

"Miss Anne Morgan and I willingly consented several weeks ago when approached on the subject to see that the fund whether amounting to this sum or more, be forwarded to France for the purpose intended," Miss Marbury is quoted as saying.

Miss Morgan is treasurer of the American fund for the French wounded, and Miss Marbury is a member of the Yough Trust Company.

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INAUGURATION PLANS

No Ball But Parade and Reception Are Likely.

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Robert H. Harper, a Washington bank president, has been selected as chairman of the committee to have charge of the ceremonies here next March incident to President Wilson's second inauguration. Formal announcement of his selection will probably be made tomorrow.

As in the case of Mr. Wilson's first inauguration there will be no inaugural ball but a reception or some other social affair may take its place. The ceremonies will include a parade. Four years ago the President rode in a carriage drawn by horses but it is possible at his second inauguration he may use an automobile, thus establishing a precedent.

To Investigate Election Frauds. COLUMBIUS, O., Dec. 6.—Charles H. Hildebrand, secretary of state, today ordered a statewide investigation of charges of fraud and errors in the recent Ohio election. The charges were filed with him by the Republican state committee, and the ballots which would have been destroyed tomorrow were ordered preserved.

Spanish Vessel Sinks. MADRID, via Paris, Dec. 6.—One hundred members of the crew of the Spanish steamship Plofora from New Orleans for Barcelona were drowned by the sinking of the vessel in a storm when 200 miles off the Canary Islands.

**DUGGAN HONORED
AS GRIDIRON STAR**

Pittsburg Sporting Writer Picks Him On All-Western Pennsylvania High School Team.

Captain Paul Duggan of the Connellsville High School football team, has been signally honored by a Pittsburg Sporting writer, who selects him for inclusion on an All-Western Pennsylvania High School football team. He is the only Connellsville man on the first or second team. Greenburg gets three. The team as selected follows:

Ends, Griffith, Greenburg; McCrory, Williamsburg; tackles, Lowrey, Arfiter; Fred, Schaefer; guards, Arfiter, Leachery, John Moore, Gordon Herd, William Lyon, James Ashe, William Buttermore, Harold Horner and Frank Wright, manager. These boys will meet tonight to elect a captain for next year.

At a meeting of the Athletic Association of the high school last evening thearsity "it" was awarded to the following members of the football squad who played 60 minutes or more during the season: Paul Duggan, Arthur Darr, Dewey Miller, William Martz, Frank Leichter, Charles Carson, Walter Rodgers, Clarence McCormick, Fred, Schaefer, guards, Arfiter, Leachery, John Moore, Gordon Herd, William Lyon, James Ashe, William Buttermore, Harold Horner and Frank Wright, manager. These boys will meet tonight to elect a captain for next year.

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RICH WOMEN PATRONS

Misses Morgan and Marbury Interested in Big Prize Fight.

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The proposed 10 round no-decision boxing bout between Georges Carpentier, heavyweight champion of Europe, and Jess Willard, the American champion, has among its sponsors, Miss Anne Morgan and Miss Elizabeth Marbury. It was learned today.

Miss Morgan is treasurer of the American fund for the French wounded, and Miss Marbury is a member of the Yough Trust Company.

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**PEACH ST. FIRE
DESTROYS SHOP;
A NASTY BLAZE**

Firemen Check Flames After Adjoining Places are Damaged.

SEVERAL SUITS ARE BURNED UP

Explosion of Gasoline Causes Flames to Spread Rapidly; Barber Shop and an Apartment are Damaged by Hot Fire and Smoke; Firemen Kept Busy

Fire starting in F. M. Long's cleaning and pressing shop on Peach street, near Water, shortly before noon today completely destroyed one storeroom, damaged two others and an upstairs apartment, and threatened for a time to destroy the entire block.

Long's shop was a one-room frame building. The fire started there in some unknown way, and gained rapid headway after it had touched the gasoline which Long used in cleaning suits. Long rushed from the store with a bottle of the gasoline, and then threw it back among the flames, spectators say.

The fire department responded to a call from Box 15, but the adjoining shop was a complete loss before they arrived. Concentrating on the nearby buildings, which were all frame, the firemen saved G. Ciancaterino's barber shop, and Peter Corrado's shoe repairing shop, both of which were damaged to some extent. The residence of Corrado, above the barber shop, was also slightly damaged, and the family forced to leave.

Blaze broke out on the part of the firemen probably prevented a disastrous flame for the buildings in the block are all wood. What is left of the Long repairing shop will have to be torn down, but the loss will not be great. Mr. Long was unable to get the suits on which he was working out of the place, and these will be a complete loss to him.

W. S. DEFFENBAUGH HERE

Former Superintendent of Schools Stops Off for a While.

W. S. Deffenbaugh, former superintendent of schools, spent today visiting local friends on his way to Washington after having been initiated into the Phi Beta Kappa fraternity at Morgantown, W. Va., last night. In the same class were Admiral P. E. Chadwick, U. S. N., Dr. John W. Francis, pastor of the Broad Street Presbyterian Church at Philadelphia, and Professor Church of the Engineering department of West Virginia University.

Mr. Deffenbaugh, who is connected with the National Bureau of Education at Washington, recently spent eight weeks making a survey of schools in Arizona. He left for Washington at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

BAND ELECTS OFFICERS.

S. E. Desmone Chosen President; J. E. Gaster Again Director.

The Connellsville Military Band last evening elected the following officers for the coming year: President, S. E. Desmone; vice president, Edgar Horner; secretary, V. Hugh Muir; assistant secretary, J. E. Gaster; treasurer, W. B. Shaw; trustees, S. E. Desmone, Bert Francis, Irwin Salter, J. E. Gaster and music manager, J. E. Gaster.

The band will soon begin its preparations for its fourth annual concert, which will be given some time in February or March.

Employees to Share.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—A distribution of \$300,000 among its 1,000 employees was voted today by the directors of the Guaranty Trust Company, one of the largest financial institutions in New York.

**JURY FAILS TO
REACH VERDICT**

It Holds Up Selection of Verdict for Murders Case, But Special Panel Is Not Used.

Special to The Courier.
UNIONTOWN, Dec. 6.—A jury in a paternity case which retired yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock held up the selection of the jury for the homicide trial of Mike Manish in criminal court before Judge E. E. Reppert this forenoon. A special venire of 40 men was summoned for the murder case this morning, but the regular panel not having been exhausted on account of the paternity jury being out, the special venire was not used.

The jury which had failed to agree upon a verdict shortly before 10 o'clock tried the case of Frank Lukoschik, accused by Karline Mientas of being the father of her six-week-old daughter. The case was the first one placed on trial before Judge J. Q. Van Swearingen Monday. It went to the jury yesterday afternoon.

In a verdict returned before Judge Van Swearingen today, John Juha, of Uniontown, was found guilty of a paternity charge, the jury having declared him to be the father of an infant born to Amelia Jadvitsk. It was alleged that Juha was intimate with the girl last Christmas.

Mike Lelekas, Sr., Mike Lelekas, Jr., and George Lelekas of Shamrock were placed on trial before Judge Van Swearingen today on charges of assault and battery, aggravated assault and battery, and assault and battery with intent to kill and murder. It is alleged by the commonwealth that on last August 12 at Shamrock the three men threw John Kowach out of a second story window with the intent of killing him.

TO RECEIVE AWARD
Banner and Certificate for First County Standard School Arrive.

A large banner and certificate to be presented to the Poplar Grove school, in Connellsville township, in honor of its being the first to become a county standard school, was received by County Superintendent J. S. Carroll yesterday. The banner, which is of blue bears this inscription in white letters: "County Standard School 1916-1917." The certificate is to be framed and hung in the school room. It outlines the requirements which the Poplar Grove school satisfied before being adjudged the first county standard school of Fayette county.

Some time ago, County Superintendent Carroll inspected the school and attested to the fact that it had come up to all of the requirements for a standard school. Aside from having attained this standard, the Poplar Grove school house has become a thing of beauty, inside and out. Miss Olive Bloom of Connellsville is the teacher.

Formal presentation of the banner and certificate will be made at a community meeting to be held in the near future.

CARELESSNESS BLAMED

Forester Declares Forest Fires Are Preventable; 12 in Fayette.

During the season just passing, Fayette county has suffered from 12 forest fires which burned over 2,500 acres of land, according to the report of V. M. Beamer of Ligonier, state forester. Reports to the forester show that half of these fires were started through carelessness. Thoughtless tourists, pedestrians and hunters carelessly tossed matches, cigar stubs and tobacco along the roadside while they are still burning or go away leaving their campfires to spread through the forest.

Railroads, lumber companies, coal companies and mills and factories of all kinds are making great efforts to prevent forest fires for the purpose of preventing thousands of dollars to prevent forest fires. Mr. Beamer says, yet half the fires result from one single cause which could be eliminated without the expenditure of a single cent—by using a bit of care and common sense.

Mr. Beamer says this accusation does not include all tourists and hunters but only that small class who have neither concern for the property of others nor respect for the law.

PUBLISHERS ORGANIZE

Discusses Ways and Means of Meeting Increased Costs.

Publishers of the small dailies of Western Pennsylvania met in Pittsburgh yesterday for the purpose of discussing ways and means of meeting the increased cost of white paper, supplies and every other expense entering into the production of their papers. The principal matter under consideration was a move to increase the price of papers from one to two cents.

The newspaper men organized the Publishers' Association of Western Pennsylvania and elected the following officers: President, John L. Stewart, Washington Observer; vice president, A. C. Dickinson, Sharon Telegraph; secretary-treasurer, A. W. McDowell, Sharon Herald.

James J. Driscoll of The Courier, and C. T. Wolfersburger of The News, represented the two Connellsville papers at the meeting.

New Sing Sing Warden.

ALBANY, Dec. 6.—The appointment of William H. Moyer, for 12 years warden of the federal penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga., as warden of Sing Sing prison was announced today.

**ROBBER GETS
\$650 PAYROLL
FROM A SAFE**

**Pennsylvania Railroad Detectives are Investigating
Burglary at Dunbar.**

SLAG FURNACE PAY STOLEN

Shipped by Express from Uniontown It Disappears Soon After Being Put Into Strongbox; Agent and Officers Decline to Discuss the Burglary.

A dozen Pennsylvania railroad detectives are at work in Dunbar seeking to solve the mysterious disappearance of \$650 from the safe in the railroad station there about noon yesterday. Money expressed to the slag furnace for its payroll is said to have been stolen while the employees of the office were absent for lunch. The safe is reported to have been left unlocked.

No information was given out by the Dunbar office regarding the robbery. "We are under strict orders to say nothing about it, so it is useless to question me," was the response to a telephone inquiry as to the circumstances surrounding the theft.

The express package containing the money came later than usual during the morning as the result of a wreck. It is said, and pending delivery during the afternoon was placed in the office safe. For some unknown reason, the safe door was not locked. When the employees came back from lunch the robbery was discovered. Nothing else had been taken, hence the belief that the thief knew the money was there and was familiar with the goings and comings of the employees of a Railroad officers from all over this section were immediately sent to Dunbar to work on the robbery case.

The freight office is located in the center of the town.

The robbery follows closely after the theft of \$800 from the Dunbar Supply Company store last Wednesday night. The slag furnace is operated by the Pittsburgh Construction Company.

ELECTRIC STEEL BOOM

Several Nearby Plants Are Rapidly Installing Additional Furnaces.

Reports from other towns are to the effect that the electric steel business is booming. This augurs well for the success of the United States Electric Steel Company's plant, to be established on Herd Bottom by a company headed by W. E. Moore and Robert Lock.

An additional six-ton electric furnace is to be installed at the plant of the Latrobe Electric Steel Company. Part of the new equipment has arrived and the remainder is expected in a short time. The manufacture of steel by electricity has proven immensely profitable at this plant.

Two other Latrobe companies are also installing electric steel furnaces. The Vanadium Alloys Company has just completed one and the first heat will be turned out in the next few days. This makes the second electric furnace at this plant.

The Railway Steel Spring Company has placed an order for a three-ton furnace but several months are expected to elapse before delivery can be made.

LOSSES FINGERS
Negro Has Hand Caught in Machine at Casparis.

Joe Lewis, 39 years old and colored, employed by the Casparis Stone Company, was the victim of a painful accident yesterday morning when his left hand was caught in the electric machinery. He was brought to the Cottage State Hospital, where it was discovered that it was necessary to amputate all of the ring finger and a part of the little finger.

Margaret Danko of Elm Grove, 16 years old; Dorothy Weaver, 8 years old, and Gladys Walsh of Mount Pleasant, 12 years old, underwent throat operations this morning. Frank Brown, two years old, was operated on this morning for similar trouble.

HAS NARROW ESCAPE

Daniel C. Hood, 33 Years Old, Saves Self From Fire.

Daniel C. Hood, 33 years old, of South Arch street, had a narrow escape from death yesterday when his night clothes caught fire at an open stove in his room. Mr. Hood had his back turned to the stove at the time, and the flames were blazing fiercely before he noticed them.

Bravely ruse presence of mind,

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Practically everything is in readiness for the second annual bazaar of the T. J. Hooper Bible Class of the First Presbyterian church to be held tomorrow and Friday afternoons and evenings in the social room of the church. Great interest is being displayed in the bazaar, which promises to be the largest benefit affair ever held by the society of the church. The committee for some time past have been collecting and making articles for the bazaar and there will be for sale a bewildering array of Christmas novelties. Attractively decorated booths will be laden with fancywork in all the latest developments, dolls, Christmas novelties, a bewitching variety of dolls, which will bring happiness to the children, exquisite handkerchiefs, and other exclusive Christmas novelties too numerous to mention. There will be a Japanese perola from which tea will be served each afternoon, and Japanese novelties will be sold. Every article of a more staple nature will also be on sale and all who visit the bazaar will be able to select Christmas gifts suitable for all. In connection with the bazaar supper will be served each evening by the King's Daughters of the church. The hours for the supper are from 5 to 8. Chicken will be served the first night and on Friday night oysters will be served. While a number of supper tickets have already been sold the rumor that all tickets have been disposed of is incorrect and there will be supper both nights for all who wish to attend.

The Daughters of America will meet tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock in Macnebec hall.

A special meeting will be held in connection with the regular meeting of the Woman's Missionary Association of the United Brethren church to be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church. Special Christmas music will be rendered and emblems placed on children and motherhood. Refreshments will be served and all members are invited. The Otterbein Guild will meet tomorrow evening in the church.

The officers and teachers of the First Baptist Sunday school will meet tomorrow evening at the Manse in Will's Road.

A reunion of the family of Mrs. Elizabeth Reed of the West Side, with Mrs. Reed as the honor guest, was held Sunday at the home of a son, James B. Reed in Pittsburg. Mrs. Reed has resided in the West Side virtually all her life and has three sons, all of whom have been in the service of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad for a number of years. James B. Reed, is conductor on passenger trains No. 5 and 6, while George and Charles Reed, both of Pittsburg, are passenger engineers. Mrs. Elizabeth Reed and her sister, Miss Mollie Carr also of the West Side, have been visiting the former's sons, and will return home Saturday.

The bazaar which is being held in the Macnebec building in South Pittsburg street by the Woman's Bible Class and the N. C. D. Class of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, is meeting with great success and while a number of articles suitable for Christmas gifts have already been disposed of, many other attractive novelties, including fancywork, hand-painted dolls, are still on hand to be disposed of.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Katherine Rittenberg of Snook and Edgar Gray of Masontown, solemnized November 25.

The regular meeting of the C. W. B. M. Auxiliary of the Christian Church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church. Mrs. Rose F. Lytle has arranged special music for the occasion. All members are requested to attend.

The regular meeting of the Woman's



Childish Craving

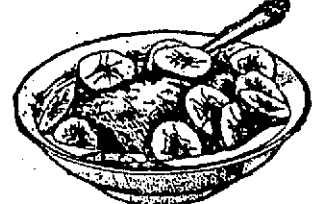
—for something sweet finds pleasant relaxation in the pure, wholesome, wheat and barley food

Grape-Nuts

No danger of upsetting the stomach—and remember, Grape-Nuts is a true food, good for any meal or between meals.

"There's a Reason"

A Hot, Nourishing Meal—one that will put vim and energy into the worn-out body and fortify it against exposure—Shredded Wheat Biscuit (heated in the oven to restore crispness) with hot milk. Supplies all the strength needed for a half day's work. Also delicious with bananas or other fruits.



Made at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Missionary Society of the Trinity Lutheran Church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. E. Flint in Race street. All members who have not turned in their mite boxes are asked to do so at this meeting in order to complete the thank offering of the year.

Mrs. C. W. Utts and Charles A. Crowley were awarded the prizes at the regular meeting of the IXth Club held last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schenck in South Pittsburg street. Four tables were called into play and following the games luncheon was served.

A special meeting of the King's Daughters of the Trinity Lutheran Church was held last evening at the home of Mrs. John A. Guller in West Peach street to discuss plans for the annual bazaar to be held Thursday and Friday evenings, December 14 and 15 in the social room of the church. Fancywork, novelties, and other novelties suitable for Christmas remembrances will be on sale. Following the usual custom a chicken and waffle supper will be held each night of the bazaar by the Ladies' Aid Society. The ladies of the society are famous for their chicken and waffles; the suppers are always well patronized.

Three hundred invitations have been issued for a reunion and banquet of the California State Normal Alumni Association, to be held Friday evening, December 22, at the Titlow Hotel, Uniontown. Excellent music will be rendered and addresses will be delivered by prominent members of the Association. The committee is composed of Frank P. Cotton, Prof. Fred Riddle of Springhill township, Miss Jane Robinson of Cheat Haven, Mrs. T. S. Lackey, and Mrs. J. W. Dawson.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Societies and the Ladies Aid Society of the First Methodist Episcopal Church will hold an all day meeting known as Church Day, tomorrow in the church. The business meeting of the Home Society will be held at 10:30 o'clock and at 2 o'clock the Foreign Society will meet. This will be followed by a business meeting of the Aid Society. Lunch will be served at noon.

A meeting of the W. O. C. Class of the United Brethren Sunday School was held last evening in the church.

At a meeting of King Solomon Lodge, F. & M. last night, George May was elected worshipful master; R. C. Beerbower, senior warden; W. H. Long, junior warden, and S. G. Zimmerman, secretary. The officers will be installed on December 15.

Donations are being received at the United Brethren Church for a Christmas box to be sent by the Woman's Missionary Association of the church to an orphan home at Quilley, Pa.

PERSONAL

Soisson Theatre today—"A Stranger From Somewhere," 5 reels, comedy drama; "The Entericad Pin," 2 reels, "I'm in Wonderland," "Accusing Evidence," Tomorrow, "Liberty," No. 5.—Adv.

Miss Helen Harle of Old City, and Miss Martia Weber of New Castle, have returned home after a visit with Mrs. Milton Taylor of Cedar avenue. Chicken and Biscuit supper, 35c. Christian Church, Thursday evening, December 7, 5 to 8. Fancywork for sale.—Adv.

Miss Sara Gross of Greensburg, who has been the guest of Mrs. E. K. Dick of South Pittsburg street, has returned home.

Everyone is going—Methodist Bazaar, Macnebec building, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday—this week.—Adv.

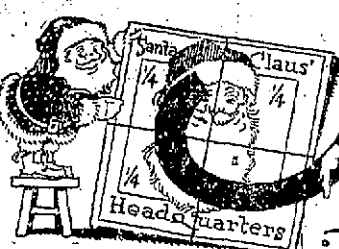
Mrs. O. L. Eaton and daughter, Miss Martha Eaton, and Mrs. L. P. McCormick, went to Pittsburg this morning. "Not the largest store in town, but growing the fastest." Why? Service, style, satisfaction. Brownell Shoe Company.—Adv.

Rev. Father Henry Davilio of the West Side, was in Pittsburg today, a mass of fascinating, scintillating, beautiful wools are the new fall styles. I have them all. Dave Cohen, tailor.—Adv.

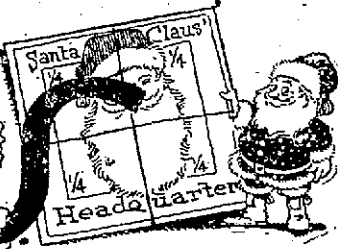
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Mrs. Charles Nowcomer of Con-

THE E. DUNN STORE



SANTA CLAUS' HEADQUARTERS



The Good Old Fashioned Christmas Atmosphere Displayed All Through the Store

It would do your heart good just to visit our Santa Claus Headquarters with its every nook and corner overflowing with the real spirit of Christmas. We are all dressed up for the holidays, and there is a cheerful, happy feeling all over the place, which simply can't help making you feel glad that you are able to, in some small way, bring happiness to others not so fortunate as yourself. Our Christmas stocks are now complete and it matters not what you have on your gift list, we have it at a

A New Selection of Baskets

Monday we received by freight our Christmas assortment of Baskets, and what a beautiful display they make—all kinds.

(One or more boxes free of charge). Colors in plain and interwoven effect that displays the weaver's wonderful art and genius; here you'll find sewing baskets, work baskets with closed tops, art table baskets, wall baskets and waste baskets—very modestly priced from 10c to \$5.50.

Bath Robes for Men or Women at \$3.75

Reason Blanket Bathrobes in greys, blues, reds, browns and Indian blanket designs. Regular \$5.00 values at \$3.75.

Welcome—An Umbrella

75c to \$10.00 Nearly everybody wants an Umbrella, but few ever think of buying one. A good time to show your thoughtfulness.

Gift Towels, 25c to \$1.50

In linen, cotton, huck and Turkish Towels, plain and colored borders; large and small sizes.

price lower than you expected to pay, because we bought all our holiday merchandise before the present high prices went into effect. Shop now and avoid the last minute Christmas rush.



Be sure you get your Quarter Head Coupons with every 25c purchase. Full Heads pay 5% in merchandise. Heads must be redeemed before December 30th.



Handkerchiefs

The Christmas gift article that seldom fails to please the most exacting. They are here by the thousands and so priced as to permit of satisfactory selection. You will also find the design or color you are in mind—and prettily boxed, too.

Women's Handkerchiefs

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NEWS OF THE DAY AS GATHERED UP AT MT. PLEASANT

Westmoreland Canton No. 53
Holds Election of
Officers.

BASKETBALL TEAM IS ORGANIZED

High School Girls Expect to Have a
Good Quarter This Year: Annual
Training Teacher is Coach;
Council Meets: Other News Notes.

Special to The Courier.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Dec. 6.—Westmoreland Canton No. 53 held its annual election and adjourned at 8 o'clock in the P. M. of rooms here. The officers were elected as follows: Captain N. R. Suter; lieutenant, C. J. Spence; eases, S. Neely; clerk, T. O. Anderson; accountant, W. H. Keenan; representative to the grand lodge, meeting at Oil City, Walter C. Clark; Colonel W. E. Carroll of Pittsburg held inspection of the canteen during the evening.

W. C. T. U. Meets.
At the meeting of the W. C. T. U. yesterday afternoon the bills were paid and the report of the donation from the schools to the W. C. T. U. for distribution among the poor amounted to \$22.50 in cash and \$52.27. The W. C. T. U. expressed their appreciation of the school board and superintendent G. L. Gordy and the teachers for their kindness in helping the ladies in their work of gathering up for the needy. The ladies also decided to have on Sunday afternoon in the United Brethren Church services to help in the campaign for the national constitution prohibition amendment.

Will Sing on Sunday.
The T. L. H. met at the First Baptist Church last evening in their regular monthly meeting and decided to sing at the meeting at the United Brethren Church on next Sunday afternoon.

Notes.
Attend the Bazaar. Presbyterian Church, Connelville, Thursday and Friday, December 7 and 8. Supper served both nights.—Adv.

Miss Mary Francis Golden gave a recital in the Second Baptist Church last evening for the benefit of the Second Baptist Sunday school.

The quarterly examinations are being held in the public schools here.

Mr. Cope, the manual training teacher in the high school, is having basketball practice for the girls in the state armory. No class tennis have been chosen yet but it is thought that an excellent team can be formed. The school term promises to be an exceptionally good one.

INDIAN CREEK.

INDIAN CREEK, Dec. 5.—Clem Hillabrand of Connelville, spent over Sunday with his family at Mill Run.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Miller spent over Sunday among Connelville friends.

Miss Lydia Kieher who is attending the state normal at California, Pa., spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kieher of near Mill Run.

John Arbuckle of Mill Run, was a business caller in Connelville yesterday.

Benford Dull spent over Sunday with relatives at Jones Mill.

Rodney Woodmansey spent over Sunday among Connelville friends.

Lloyd Miller, our noble constable from Rogers Mill, is transacting business in Connelville today.

Samuel Hall of Clarkburg, W. Va., has been checked in as agent for the Baltimore & Ohio at this place.

H. D. Whipple of Connelville, was a business caller here yesterday.

William Miller of Indian Creek, was a business caller in Connelville and Uniontown yesterday.

Mrs. L. Thrasher is spending a few days among Mill Run friends.

Mrs. Edward Oiler is calling on Connelville friends and shopping today.

Dawson Williams spent over Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Williams of near Mill Run.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Miller left for Hyndman yesterday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Daniel Evans, a sister of Mrs. Miller.

Jake Dull was a business caller in Connelville yesterday.

INDIAN CREEK, Dec. 6.—Prof. George F. Mitch of Mount Pleasant lectured at the Indian Creek Baptist Church Monday evening.

Mrs. F. S. Wortman of Mill Run is calling on Connelville friends and shopping.

Rev. John Harbaugh of Mill Run left for Sugar Loaf where he is holding revival meetings.

Lloyd Wortman has secured the position as night caller for the Baltimore & Ohio.

Dr. Says Nuxated Iron Will Increase Strength of Delicate Persons 200% in Ten Days

In many instances—Persons have suffered untold agony for years doctoring for nervous weakness, stomach, liver or kidney diseases or some other ailment when their real trouble was lack of iron in the blood—slow to tell.

NEW YORK, N. Y.—In a recent discourse Dr. E. Suter, a Specialist who has studied widely both in this country and Europe said: "If you were to make an actual blood test on all people who are ill you would probably be greatly astonished at the exceedingly large number who lack iron and who are ill for no other reason than the lack of iron. The moment iron is supplied all their multitude of dangerous symptoms disappear. Without iron the blood at once loses the power to change food into living tissue and therefore nothing you eat does you any good; you don't get the strength of it. Your food merely passes through your system like corn through a mill with the rollers so wide apart that the mill can't grind. As a result of this continuous blood and nerve starvation, people become generally weakened, nervous and all run down and frequently develop all sorts of conditions. One is too thin; another is burdened with unhealthy fat; some are so weak they can hardly walk; some think they have dyspepsia, kidney or liver trouble; some can't sleep at night; others are sleepy and tired all day; some fussy and irritable; some are at the expense of your life later on. No matter what any one tells you, if you are not strong and well you owe it to yourself to take the following test. See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain

tablets of ordinary nuxated iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see for yourself how much you have gained. I have seen dozens of nervous run down people who were ailing all the time double, and even triple their strength and endurance and entirely got rid of their symptoms of dyspepsia, liver and other troubles in from 10 to 14 days—this simply by taking iron in the proper form, and this, too, they had in some cases been doctoring for months without obtaining any benefit. You can take as you please about all the wisdom wrought by new remedies, but when you get down to hard facts there is nothing like good old iron to put color in your cheeks and good, sound, healthy flesh on your bones. It is also a great nerve and stomach strengthener and the best blood builder in the world. The only trouble was that the old form of inorganic iron (the ferrous sulfate, ferrous acetate, etc.) often ruined people's teeth, upset their stomachs and were not assimilated at all for these reasons. But with the discovery of the newer form of organic iron all this has been overcome. Nuxated iron for example, is pleasant to take, does not injure the teeth and is almost immediately beneficial.

NOTE.—The manufacturers of Nuxated iron have with unbounded confidence in its potency that they authorize the announcement that they will forfeit \$100.00 to any charitable institution if they cannot take any man or woman under sixty who lacks iron and increase their strength 20 per cent or over in four weeks' time, provided they have no serious organic trouble. Also they will refund your money in any case in which Nuxated iron does not at least double your strength in ten days' time. It is dispensed in this city by A. A. Clarke and all other druggists.—Adv.

more & Ohio in Connelville.

Miss Jean Higg spent a few hours here among friends today.

Walter Dickinson of Mill Run is a Connelville shopper today.

Jake Dull of Jones Mill spent yesterday among Connelville friends.

H. W. Hines was a business visitor in Rockwood yesterday.

J. M. Stauffer of Scotland was a business caller here yesterday.

W. P. Miller of Rogers Mill was transacting business in Connelville.

Daniel Barkley of Indian Head was a business visitor in Connelville and Uniontown yesterday.

Grover Bizant was shaking hands with Connelville friends yesterday.

ROCKWOOD.

ROCKWOOD, Dec. 5.—The Ladies Aid Society of the Lutheran Church will hold a bazaar and supper in the Ellen Snyder building on Main street Friday and Saturday evenings of this week. The society will meet Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. C. F. DeHaven on Main street.

Dr. C. J. Hinesman, amputated right fingers and one thumb from the hands of B. C. Schaff. Mr. Schaff several weeks ago fell into a fire and before he could remove himself his hands were badly burned which caused the amputation.

Mrs. Homer Hay has returned to Jackson, after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McVicker of South Rockwood.

At the regular Parent-Teachers' meeting which was held last Friday evening, J. D. Snyder was elected president for the 1916-17 term, succeeding Dr. Erier, resigned. In the absence of both president and vice president, N. F. Meyers presided.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Wheeler who have been spending several days recently with the latter's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Shanks of Rockwood, have returned to their home in Pittsburgh.

J. D. Snyder, accompanied by H. Bowman, Calvin Baker and Senabower, motored to Uniontown Saturday where they witnessed the races.

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Mr. and Mrs. Washington Provance were visiting relatives near Brownsville Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Harrington of Uniontown was visiting at Keffers station over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Williams and D. C. Elson of Dunbar were calling on friends at Keffers station recently.

Fred K. Keffers, who has been on the sick list for the past 10 days, is improving.

Mrs. Sheppard Gillespie was shopping in Connelville yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. Williams and children of Dunbar, were visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Keffers at Keffers station recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schweinfelt of Ferguson, have moved to Dunbar.

Mrs. C. W. Baker and Mrs. Thomas Kelly were recent Connelville shoppers.

Mrs. C. W. McDowell of Clymer, Pa., is visiting friends here and at Dunbar for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. William McClara of Ferguson road, are the proud parents of a bouncing baby girl.

Miss Virginia McClara of Keffers, who is at the South Side Hospital, Pittsburgh, taking treatment, is reported improving.

Miss Leona Miller has recovered from an attack of tonsillitis.

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Pechin school has organized a literary society and will have their first program in the afternoon of December 15. They are planning something elaborate.

Mrs. Ray Holsing and sister, Miss Margaret Senor, were shoppers in Connelville yesterday.

Tired of seeing the ashes and litter in heaps over the neglected school yard the pupils of Pechin school are remedying the oversight of the school board and are doing the work themselves.

The congregation of Pechin Chapel and Sunday school will hold an anniversary social Friday night of this week at the church. They conceived the idea of holding this birthday social last Sunday and, judging from the preparations making, they will have a good time.

Truant Officer Clark of Dunbar township was looking after truants in Pechin and Ferguson districts yesterday.

George W. Smithley is learning the intricacies of his new Ford and will be among the regular autoists next summer.

David S. McDowell, who has been suffering from rheumatism for the past several months is improving and is able to be about his duties with the assistance of his trusty cane.

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Tired of seeing the ashes and litter in heaps over the neglected school yard the pupils of Pechin school are remedying the oversight of the school board and are doing the work themselves.

The congregation of Pechin Chapel and Sunday school will hold an anniversary social Friday night of this week at the church. They conceived the idea of holding this birthday social last Sunday and, judging from the preparations making, they will have a good time.

Truant Officer Clark of Dunbar township was looking after truants in Pechin and Ferguson districts yesterday.

George W. Smithley is learning the intricacies of his new Ford and will be among the regular autoists next summer.

David S. McDowell, who has been suffering from rheumatism for the past several months is improving and is able to be about his duties with the assistance of his trusty cane.



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I ALMOST got acquainted WITH A charming man at a DINNER PARTY last evening but THE WOMAN who sat between US HAD spent too much MONEY for hair that had BELONGED TO others.

EVERY PLEASANTY of mine WAS EITHER hooked by A CURL or deflected by A FALSE puff. Then, too, I FANCIED THAT all of the ORIGINAL OWNERS of that ASSORTMENT OF hair were listening TO OUR conversation and it EMBARRASSED ME. Why in THE WORLD more women don't LEARN OF HERPICIDE and TRY for the home grown VARIETY of hair is a MYSTERY to me.

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A COUNTY ROAD PLAN.

Good roads advocates will find much in Judge Reppert's charge to the grand jury to encourage them in the hope that Fayette county will shortly enter upon the development of a comprehensive and systematic road system. As the Court points out "the time has arrived when building short sections of roads in various and scattered districts, unless parts of a general system, should be discontinued."

Unfortunately for the balanced growth of a county road system, the practice to which the Court directs attention has been followed in many sections of the county. There have been many communities which have taken a local pride in providing improved roads but all too frequently other communities, and often the nearest neighbors, have not been so impelled, hence our roads consist of detached improved sections which will form no part of a general plan until the intervening gaps are also improved.

To remedy this condition the Court suggests "that by co-operating among the interests involved, by contribution from the state, the county and the townships interested, substantial and reasonably rapid progress could be made even in the improvement of such portions of the state highways as would necessarily be included in a complete county system."

To reduce the Court's suggestion to workable form it would seem that the friends of good roads in Fayette county can do nothing better than to follow the example of their brethren in neighboring counties. In many counties of the state, notably Washington county as a near neighbor, active and enthusiastic county organizations have been formed and the road situation is being handled from the county instead of the community or township standpoint. Much progress is being made in the direction of a complete and well-coordinated county plan and the results accomplished are at the minimum of effort and cost.

The Courier has already made a suggestion along these lines, hence feels that a renewal of it at this time will be entirely agreeable with the Court's recommendation on this matter.

THE DAWSON BRIDGE.

It is unfortunate that the cost of clearing the Dawson bridge over the Youngs was found by the viewers to be so much in excess of the original estimate that approval of the improvement is withheld. This is not a surprising discovery, though. In these days of excessively high and constantly rising prices for all materials needed in bridge construction an estimate made now will show a very considerable discrepancy between one made several months or even one month ago. This fact was no doubt taken into consideration by the viewers when making their comparisons. At any rate prevailing prices are so high now and have been for some months, that bridge construction is largely at a standstill except where it is immediately and urgently necessary.

The contemplated improvement in the Dawson bridge is much needed, especially as it will provide for the permanent removal of a dangerous crossing. When a review is made, as there doubtless will be at some subsequent date, the hope is that it will occur at a time when prices have reached a normal level or be such as will not prohibit improvements of this character being made.

SEEKING THEIR ERRORS.

As we recede in point of time from the recent election, the greater freedom of expression do we hear from the department heads in Washington with respect to the effects the ending of the European war will have upon our foreign trade.

Prior to the election the idea that we would be confronted by grave commercial problems at the close of the war, because of a lack of adequate or proper protection to our trade and commerce, was flouted by the Democrats. But already there is a perceptible veering around, if not tacit admission, that the attitude of the Republicans was correct when they urged that something specific, definite and effective must be done to protect American industry from the European trade invasion.

That the complete acceptance of the Republican position on this matter is in progress, is evidenced by the statements made in the recently published review of foreign trade conditions by the Federal Trade Commission. In discussing the possibility that manufacturers and producers of the belligerent countries will take effective measures to regain their former trade, the admission is made that, "It is likely, however, that some time will pass after the close of the war before they will be able to exert their normal competitive power." This fact has never been denied by the Republicans, but in their pre-election claims as Democrats even admitted the possibility, or hinted at the probability, that such a time would ever arrive.

Still further acceptance of the position the Republicans maintained throughout the progress of the campaign is found in this statement: "In their struggle to regain their former trade foreign manufacturers and producers may be expected to fully utilize their highly efficient organizations for the promotion and handling of

trade beyond their borders, even foregoing profits or taking a very low profit till their costs again become normal and they have reestablished their trade. Hence, competition from foreign industrial combinations, aided by foreign ship lines and foreign banks, and backed by foreign governments, may be even sharper than before the war."

This sounds so much like a Republican Protection speech of the days preceding the November election, that the hope rises in our breasts that the Democrats are fast seeing the errors of their ways in hurrying out upon this country the withering blight of the Underwood Near Free Trade law.

Greenburg is the latest recruit to the broughs which are harassing against the orders of Dr. Samuel G. Dixon, Chief of the Department of Health, to install sewage disposal plants. The doctor may yet find it necessary to call upon the El Paso mayor and his rangers for reinforcement.

Everybody in Europe is talking peace except those who have it in their power to make peace.

The master in a divorce proceeding in Pittsburgh has recommended that a divorce be granted to a woman because her husband deceived her before and after the time of their marriage by concealing the fact that he had a wooden leg. This precedent cannot be depended upon to any great extent, however, where the husband failed, at the time of marriage, to disclose the fact that he had a wooden leg.

The President had a new glimpse of the Yellow Peril and a Great Question yesterday.

Champ Clark has worked out a sure plan for reducing the High Cost of Living. He would do away with baker's marks and eat only corn bread. Requiring that it be "the kind mother used to make," may, however, limit the production of this remedy to a relatively small part of the families who are feeling the pinch of high prices.

The Suffragists had the last word in the election and the first question in Congress.

The daily deficit in the treasury may have had something to do with the delay in the payment of the relief funds to the dependents of the National Guardsmen on the Texas border.

Everson is not going to fall behind in municipal styles. It is to vote on a \$50,000 bond issue for a new town hall.

With the Democratic administration costing \$1,600,000 a day we ought to feel that food and fuel are being sold at bargain prices.

President Wilson is preparing to find out who is responsible for the increased deficit in the high cost of living, says a Washington dispatch. This quest will doubtless take its place in history with that other unanswered inquiry, "Who struck Billy Patterson?"

It might be a prudent precaution for the editor to board a committee of representatives of the rival temperance regulator manufacturers are themselves equipped with regulators when the question of a contract is proposed.

Before the present session of Congress is over President Wilson may find himself in need of a "double-track mind," or one equipped with plenty of pressing claims.

With crude oil at \$2.75 per barrel the dancer increases that the lamp will not hold out to burn until the vilest price lottery may realize.

The prize athletes of the high school are men of letters now.

If the people of Connelville and vicinity expect to spend that \$1,000,000 December pay before Christmas, they will simply have to Shop Early.

The coke shortage is nearing the furnace stoppage stage.

If the South would start up some war munitions factories, operating at war times wages, they would find it much easier to keep the colored workers in their midst.

The coke companies are setting a splendid example of the Christmas spirit in affixing Red Cross stamps to the pay envelopes.

Unless our tourists to southern ports are taking some of our fine weather with them they may find Florida climate less agreeable than that at home.

The elevation of the Dawson bridge seems to have been halted by the elevation in prices of bridges.

There was a real question before the President and the joint session of Congress yesterday, but there was no answer to it in the message or in the President's smile.

Mexican bandits have gone up in price along with other things. Persons are presumed to know outside the attempt to "die Villa, dead or alive" has cost the government \$100,000,000.

Under the Dome

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SPEEDWAY GAME

Contemporaries Agree That a Toll in Human Lives Has Been Paid for the Sport.

Speed contests such as the one causing three deaths and several severe injuries at Uniontown, Pa., Saturday afternoon ought not to be allowed. It ought not to be necessary to appeal to the law to prevent such things, but if men, attracted by the ambition to do unusual things, will persist in acts that are constantly sacrificing human life, the authority of government should step in and stop it all. There is absolutely no compensation for sacrifices made on an automobile speedway.

There is nothing whatever that is harmful to a man while he is occupied by a speedway machine. These machines, in any kind of useful service, cannot be run at such speeds without breaking the law. In most of the states, if not in all, the speed limit is not greater than forty or fifty miles an hour, even on isolated country roads. They cannot be driven faster without breaking the law, to say nothing of the personal risk that is taken.

What sense, then, can there be in a speedway machine? The answer is that there is no sense in it. It is a machine that is built to break the law. There is no possible good to be accomplished by these speed contests. They would be a waste of money and time to those who engage in them if they did not involve unusual danger and almost certain fatality. But the purpose of these contests is to involve great risk to human life in order to be allowed, high speed of cars on a public highway. It is a public menace that needs to be guarded and curbed, and permitting a public demonstration of speeding has a tendency to stimulate, rather than to discourage, excessive speeding.

There is every reason why such occurrences as that at Uniontown on Saturday should be prevented, and no reason why a recurrence of such things should be permitted.

Connellsville News.

There would be no use, indeed, in awaiting the speedy management for promoting an enterprise which has resulted, in less than a week, in five deaths and minor injuries to more than a dozen. The promoters were familiar with the experience of other similar enterprises. The rule has been to kill and maim, but that is a part of the game. In one respect Uniontown has been fortunate. The deaths have been confined to the spectators and not to the drivers. No innocent bystanders have been slaughtered in yet. But the same is your case. It is said, more than \$100,000 to promote the enterprise and meet the race course, and what are the results? Five deaths and more or less with that amount of money involved.

The News is delighted that none of the entranced spectators were numbered among the victims of Saturday. It is, also, a matter for congratulation that the race course, which has been a source of trouble and expense to the community, has been closed. It is a source of trouble and expense to the community, and it is a source of trouble and expense to the community.

Time to be Thrifty.

New York Times.
After consulting both labor and capital to be reasonable in these trying times, the best advice to both of them is that they should be thrifty. In that respect capital is the better example. Its nature being put back into properties instead of being disbursed. It is a guarantee of stability of employment, and it is a guarantee of longer than otherwise would be possible when the reaction comes. Labor, on the other hand, is taking the risk, as though prosperity were everlasting, and as though its maintenance for labor were a matter of organic law. The best advice to both of them is that they should be thrifty. In that respect capital is the better example. Its nature being put back into properties instead of being disbursed.

Random Reels

By Howard L. Rann.

THE FOOTBALL.

The football is one of only two known objects which can be kicked without striking back. The other is the Chinese empire.

The football is composed of a small section of the pig family, which is usually made from some pig which has been hurriedly killed because it is not fit to form a pig. It is usually made from some pig which has been hurriedly killed because it is not fit to form a pig.

It was not until recent years that the football was made a regular part of the college curriculum, but it has become an indispensable as any other study. Many a young man with this kind of game in his mind, and a master first Latin without a penny has, by applying himself diligently to football, been able to graduate with high honors and earn a good living by it.

Kicked round in a liberal and free-handed manner by young men who desire to promote their scholastic and leg

concluding other young men in the act of kicking from a sitting posture. People who fancy football should think of these things and not allow their legs to be kicked around in a liberal and free-handed manner by young men who desire to promote their scholastic and leg

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Our export trade certainly means the difference between prosperity and stagnation in the ten months the present Democratic tariff law was in effect before the war began our export balance was \$20,000,000 less than for the corresponding ten months in the year previous.

In that ten months of free trade we were in a period of stagnation as compared with ten months of prosperity in the year before.

Not only in the "rain country" but all over the country we now know that export trade can do for prices. We know what it can do for employment and for wages. But all through the recent political campaign the Department of Commerce belittled our war order business and the Democratic campaign managers claimed credit to the Democratic administration for the present prosperity.

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LITTLE TALKS ON THRIFT

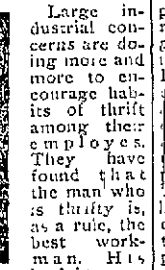
By S. W. STRAUS
President American Society for Thrift



steadier, he has greater freedom from worry, and he is more to be depended upon than the man who is constantly hard up and in mental distress because of improvident habits.

Four years ago a certain American manufacturing concern encouraged its employees to pool their savings in a building and loan plan. As a result these factory men have laid aside \$400,000 during the period and more than 160 homes have been built with the savings. What a tribute to the great virtue of thrift.

Another concern, which is located in Chicago, recently inaugurated a profit-sharing plan that will provide a permanent pension to those employees who continue in the faithful employment. Five per cent of the annual profits of the concern is to be distributed among the employees who participate in the



Large industrial concerns are doing more and more to encourage habits of thrift among their employees. They have found that the man who is thrifty is, as a rule, the best workman. His habits are

profit sharing fund. Any employee may deposit with the company 5 per cent of his annual pay, providing this sum does not exceed \$150. Participation in the earnings of the company will be based on the amount of pay deposited by the employee. Deposits are made with a board which consists of an equal number of the members of the corporate organization and employees. This year more than one-half million dollars will be disbursed among employees who, through habits of thrift, have earned their right to participate therein.

As we are on the threshold of a new year, it is an excellent time for employers of labor to give thought to plans for helping their workmen acquire thrifty habits. In this connection, we are reminded of a statement made by the late James J. Hill, who said: "Thrift is not a virtue of tomorrow, but of today. The young man who puts off until he is eating a larger income in the effort to save and accumulate is pining away under the pressure of misfortune. It is literally true that only beginning is difficult."

We are told of a man in Minneapolis who started three years ago to save only nickels with a buffalo head on them. Recently he purchased an automobile with the sum thus saved. Possibly he did not practice thrift in purchasing the car, but his ingenious method of saving is commendable.

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SCOTSDALE XMAS SAVINGS FUNDS TOTAL \$30,000

Two Banks Will Put Much Money Into Circulation Soon.

MERCHANTS EXPECT BIG TRADE

Ladies of the W. C. T. U. held an interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. M. A. McCoombs last evening. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Civic Club. Notes.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTSDALE, Dec. 6.—Scottsdale merchants have begun to prepare for the Christmas savings funds conducted by two of the local banks. At the Scottsdale Trust Company it was stated that they would pay out over \$15,000 and at the First National Bank it was stated that there would be an increase over last year and a very substantial one. This means that shortly after the 15th of the month there will be about \$30,000 alone in circulation from the savings of the Christmas clubs alone.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. held their meeting at the Chestnut street home of Mrs. M. A. McCoombs last evening. Mrs. Mary Williams presided, and Miss Malinda Stoner led the devotion. At the business meeting it was decided to hold a meeting on Sunday afternoon in the campaign for the national constitutional prohibition amendment. The ladies were reminded of the box for the Children's Home. Mrs. Albert Kelsier, president of the Civic Club, gave the ladies of the W. C. T. U. a special invitation to attend the Erasmus Wilson lecture on next Monday evening. The secretary read an article on the national convention at Indianapolis. Mrs. C. W. Stauffer read "Our Next War," and Mrs. Fannie Reynolds read an article on "Electoral College." This meeting will be held on December 11 and at this meeting Peace Day will be observed.

New Society Formed.

As a result of the Bible conference conducted by Dr. A. A. Holzer of the Covenant Mission in Pittsburgh here a short time ago, an organization was formed last evening at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage to be known as the Friends of Israel. The object is to keep in touch with the Covenant Mission. The temporary organization with the following officers become the permanent organization: President, Rev. G. W. Terbuch; vice president, M. L. Hunsner; and secretary-treasurer, H. A. Becker.

Erasmus Wilson in Talk. On Monday evening Erasmus Wilson, the Quiet Observer of the Gazette Times, will speak in Scottdale for the ladies of the Civic Club in the Presbyterian Church on next Monday evening. The title of Mrs. Wilson's lecture will be, "What Are We Doing for Our Boys?" The lecture is for adults only, no children being admitted.

At the regular monthly meeting of the borough council the payroll, amounting to about \$1,500, was paid and the secretary reported an income for the month of \$1,300. The secretary was instructed to notify the burgesses that the sidewalk ordinance must be enforced, especially along Broadway. The street committee was instructed to move the brick left on West Pittsburgh street and put it under the viaduct at the pipe mill. The special committee out to confer with the officers of the fire department reported on having met with the officers and that they had mutually agreed to carry only 12 men and a driver on a truck at any time. Concerning the other matter no decision was arrived at and the committee was continued.

For Rent.

Four room house, will furnish heat, at 202 Loucks avenue. Inquire 205 Loucks avenue.—Adv.

Notes.

Attend the Bazaar. Presbyterian Church, Connelville, Thursday and Friday, December 7 and 8. Supper served both nights.—Adv.

Mrs. J. H. Marvin underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Memorial Hospital in Mount Pleasant yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rargow spent Monday in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. H. D. Porterfield entertained the Otterbein Club at her home here last evening. Following the business session refreshments were served.

Clayton Ober is spending the week in Greensburg.

Cecilia McArdle of Connelville spent last week with Miss Edna Konec.

J. W. Newburn, manager of the Broadway Department store, moved his family from Duane to Scottdale yesterday.

J. H. McDermey spent yesterday in Pittsburgh.

THAT BAD BACK

Do you have a dull, steady ache in the small of the back—sharp, stabbing twinges when stooping or lifting—distressing urinary disorders? For bad back and weakened kidneys, Connelville residents recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Read this Connelville statement.

T. J. Holt, blacksmith, 403 E. Fayette St., Connelville, says: "Strained at my work caused my kidneys to become weak. I suffered from sharp pains in the small of my back and often I could hardly straighten up. At night I had to get up several times to pass the kidney secretions. Two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills entirely cured me."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the name that cures Mr. Holt. Foster-McBride Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

Read The Daily Courier

THE OLD RELIABLE

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure

No ALUM—No PHOSPHATE

TO HELP MERCHANTS

Buying Privileges at Panama Commission. Associated Press.

PANAMA, Dec. 6.—A law to abolish privileges of purchasing at the commission of the Panama Canal, by others than employees of the United States Government, has been passed by the Assembly of Panama and signed by the President. It has not, however, been published in the Official Gazette, and will not become effective until three days after such publication. The presence of the commissioners, with their advantages of no rent, no tariff, and reduced steamship and railroad charges, has long been a thorn in the flesh of the Isthmian merchants. Five number of influential persons who have enjoyed the privilege, given by the President of Panama, of buying in the commission of the use of the canal and its defensive forces, for which the commissary system was intended, will be quite an accomplishment for the Chambers of Commerce of Colon and Panama. It will remove a cause of annoyance and distrust between the Panamanians and Americans, and is generally regarded as altogether in the best interest, except by those who have enjoyed special privileges.

GLASS OF SALTS IF YOUR KIDNEYS HURT

Eat Less Meat If You Feel Backache or Have Bladder Trouble.

Meat forms uric acid which excites and overworks the kidneys in their efforts to filter it from the system. Regular eaters of meat flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them. Take you relieve your bowels; removing all the acids, waste and poison, else you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sour, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get irritated, obliging you to get up two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids and flush off the body's urinous waste get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine and bladder disorders disappear. This famous salt is made from the gold of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys and stop bladder irritation. Jad Salts is a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then, thus avoiding serious kidney and bladder diseases.—Adv.

CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, Dec. 6.—Misses Reba Fore and Patricia Flanagan and John Corbin, John Stark and Raymond Morrison, students at Indiana State Normal school, have returned there after spending several days here at their respective homes.

Revival meetings are in progress in the Baptist Church at present. Rev. W. A. Wisinger the pastor is in charge.

Rev. Olney, pastor of the Lutheran Church at Salisbury preached in the Baptist Church here last night to an appreciative audience.

George Butler and grandson, Fred, of Johnson Chapel, were business visitors in town yesterday.

Harry Watson, who works at East Liberty, Pittsburgh, has returned there after a visit with his family here.

Charles D. Beggs and family, who have been living in Pittsburgh for several years has returned back to town.

The revival meetings are still in progress at Johnson Chapel. Rev. W. M. Bracken is in charge.

Harry Campbell of Humbert was here yesterday on his way to Connelville on business.

Mrs. Fred Wilhelm was shopping and visiting friends in Connelville yesterday.

James A. Wilkins of Addison was here yesterday on his way to Somerset on business.

Miss Lucille Burnworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Burnworth, who has been ill for several months, is improving nicely at this writing.

Lack Jurymen.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—Depleted staffs in business houses are causing considerable difficulty in getting juries in various courts and the Lord Chief Justice has appealed to the bar and solicitors that they agree as far as possible to try their cases without juries.

MISS MARTIN READS WORKS FOR FEDERAL SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT



MISS ANNE MARTIN

In the present session of Congress the women who are seeking the extension of suffrage by federal action will be busy, but it is believed they have small chance of success owing to the pressure of business before the short session. One of the most active of the suffrage workers is Miss Anne Martin of Reno, Nev., chairman of the women's party and chairman of the legislative committee of the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage.

Handling Bargains. If so, it will pay you to read our advertising columns.

Try Our Classified Ads. One cent a word. They bring results.

Prepare yourself for a healthy, happy Xmas; bathe and clean your stomach, liver and bowels; make them fresh and active; able to do their full duty—then you'll be well and happy—Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea does the work Nature's way. Tea or Tablets. 35c. Connelville Drug Co.—Adv.

HERE'S a rubber with an extra tough, heavy sole and heel that make it outwear ordinary rubbers. A service rubber for men, women, boys and girls who walk a lot.

One of the most popular of the famous Hub-Mark Rubbers. Note the special heel and sole.

Hub-Mark Rubber Footwear is made in a wide variety of kinds and styles to cover the stormy weather needs of men, women, boys and girls in town or country.

The Hub-Mark is your value mark.

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PINE TOP

It's Different.

Just As Good Is Never So Good.

To those who have used Pine Top Cough Mixture, there is no use saying anything. We just ask a trial from anyone who has never used it. It contains the oil of the Pine needle, said to be the best lung healer in the world. Buy a bottle for 25 cents. Always keep it in the house. A couple doses, if taken in time, may prevent a long siege of cold and grippe. You will know it by the green wrapper and red seal. Ask for Pine Top. Take no other. Sold everywhere. Prepared by

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Connellsville, Pa.

FRENCH FARMERS DESERVE PRAISE

Official Says Their Efforts in the Wheat Fields Must be Recognized.

By Associated Press.

PARIS, Dec. 6.—"The farmers of France have done well for the country and their efforts in the wheat field as well as on the battlefield must be recognized," said Ch. Brilland de Launay, head of the great national agricultural society of France, to a correspondent of the Associated Press.

"Farm hands alone furnished more than a third of our fighting strength—more than the men of any other occupation, and their exploits have furnished pages of citations in the Journal Officiel. The peasants at home—particularly the women, have, in their way, done quite as well. They have really been the 'staff of life' to France during those trying two years, since they have provided the bread, but until lately they got only praise while those at the front got decorations."

"Every peasant woman or farmer's wife or daughter who has replaced a man called to arms shall have a sort of decoration, too, in the form of a diploma that will tell what she has done for her country, just as a general's citation makes known an act of heroism on the battlefield."

"The French farmer was formerly essentially individualist," said M. Launay, "but he has learned the value of association and nearly every farming community is organized. There are 678 agricultural syndicates in France with a membership of 1,350,000, assembled in 35 different unions of syndicates."

"Our syndicates are not merely the sales and buying agents of the individual farmer; they go farther; they stand between the farmer and the man from whom he buys or to whom he sells in any misunderstanding, saving him from lawsuits and expenses; and they act as his backer, in a way, through the organization of mutual agricultural loan societies which are separate from the syndicates."

Livestock Must be Profitable. CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—That the nation's future "absolutely depends on livestock production being made profitable to the farmer" and that on an average for twenty years, it has not been profitable were statements made today by Edward C. Lanier, owner of a large cattle ranch at Palfreys, Texas, in addressing the National Conference of Marketing and Farm Credits here. His subject was: "The Marketing of Live Stock."

Gingerole Ends Headache and Backache Instantly

Rub It On Freely; It Won't Blister; Stops Rheumatic Agony and Reduces Painful Joints.

For miles around, people are coming for GINGEROLE. The report of its power to stop all aches and pains almost instantly and to end all soreness and lameness speedily has had its effect and the supply of 25 cent boxes at the drug store is going like hot cakes.

Thousands use it for neuralgia, for lumbago, neuritis, for sore throat and chest colds. Nothing like it for sore, inflamed feet or burning bunions, corns or callouses. A big package for 25 cents on money back if dissatisfied plan. But be sure you ask for and get the original GINGEROLE. All first-class druggists supply it.—Adv.

The Big Christmas Store

We give U. P. S. Coupons Twice as Valuable as Stamps

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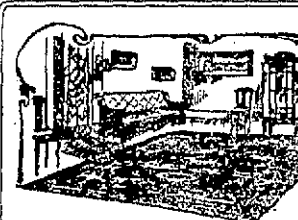


Erector Erector

The Construction Toy which appeals to every boy's idea of fun and also teaches him the principles of construction and engineering. Price \$1.00 to \$10.

Tinkertoy

A wonder builder—a Toy made of wooden spools and rods and will construct many models of moving figures. Price 50c.



Give Rugs—A Lasting Gift

Handsome Seamless Brussels Rugs; also extra fine quality Velvets, the kind that gives splendid long service. Big variety of colorings; very attractive patterns in small and medallion designs; suitable for any room in the house. \$22.50

Christmas Planning

Don't let yourself drift into the last-hour-rush-shopping-habit—begin now to plan—a Christmas gift that is a mistle really, very little better than none at all—make your selection fit in with the tastes and characteristics of the one you plan to give to—begin here now.

Art Brass

We have gathered a gift collection of Art Brass—cast, spun and hammered—which, in completeness and variety, is an innovation to Connelville.

Comprised are such gift-worthy things as candlesticks, smoker's articles, fern dishes and so on—selected with considerable care from the best Art Brass manufacturers.

For the Darling Baby's Christmas

Babywearer Shop is just filled with dainty things for wee kiddie—good, warm wearables that are never more appreciated than on a blowy, snowy Christmas morning.

WOOL SWEATERS—red, grey, tan, rose, Copenhagen and white. \$1.00, \$1.50 to \$3.50.

SWEATER SETS—Cap, Leggings and Sweater—white, grey and red. Priced \$1.50, \$1.95, \$2.50.

INFANTS' AND CHILDREN'S DRESSES—plaid tailored, some charmingly trimmed with lace or embroidery. High waist and deep waist; some with sash. 50c to \$5.00.

Christmas Handkerchiefs

For All Connelville

Careful planning and unusual foresight only could have made this display of Handkerchiefs possible.

Thousands and thousands of dainty, givable, Handkerchiefs—on counters, on tables, on shelving, on ledges, in cases—Handkerchiefs everywhere—Handkerchiefs for the whole family from father to the tiniest tot—Handkerchiefs from France and Ireland at not a penny advance in price—we are doubly fortunate in being able to offer the finest Handkerchiefs at the usual attractive Kobacker prices.

COME TO THE MERRY XMAS STORE

The Best Place to Shop

The Store With a Thousand Gifts

And just three weeks more in which to do your shopping. Let us help you decide what to give. You know the quality and the prices speak for themselves.

COME TO THE MERRY XMAS STORE

For Mother	For Big Sister	For Little Sister
A China Dish.....25c to \$3.00	A Puff Box.....25c to \$1.00	Dressed Doll.....19c to \$2.50
Cups and Saucers.....75c to \$1.10	Hair Receiver.....25c to \$1.50	Infant Doll.....10c up
Celery Sets.....\$1.25 to \$5.50	Comb and Brush Set.....\$1.00 to \$1.00	Games.....5c to \$1.00
Nut Sets.....25c to \$1.50	Sweet Grass Baskets.....75c to \$1.50	Doll Carts.....25c to \$5.00
Sugar and Cream Set.....25c to \$4.00	Manicure Sets.....50c up	Trunks.....25c to \$3.50
Cut Glass Dish.....\$3.50 to \$5.00	Books.....10c up to \$1.00	Set of Cases.....25c to \$1.00
Aluminum Cake Pans.....15c to 60c	Comb and Brush Trays 50c to \$1.50	Set of Dishes.....10c to \$2.50
Aluminum Pie Pans.....15c to 30c	Jewelry Boxes.....10c to \$1.50	Tables.....25c to \$3.50
Aluminum Percolators \$1.49 to \$3.50	Pin Cushions.....10c up to 50c	Rocking Chairs.....25c to \$1.50
Aluminum Tea Kettles \$1.49 to \$3	Handkerchief Boxes.....10c to \$1.50	Painting Sets.....10c to \$1.50
Aluminum Toasters.....\$1.00 and up	Glove Boxes.....10c up to \$1.00	Writing Desks.....\$1.25 to \$5.00
For Father	For Baby	For Little Brother
Ash Tray.....10c and up to 50c	Battles.....5c to 50c	American Model Builders 50c to \$25
Smoker Set.....50c up to \$2.50	Stuffed Animals.....10c to \$1.00	Electric Trains.....All Prices
Shaving Set.....50c up to \$8.00	Blocks.....10c to \$1.50	Mechanical Toys.....25c to \$3.50
Tobacco Jars.....50c to \$1.00	Baby Dolls.....5c to \$8.00	Tool Chests.....25c to \$4.00
Flash Lights.....50c to \$4.00	Rocking Horse.....\$1.25 to \$10.00	Kiddie Kar.....\$1.00 to \$2.50
Cup and Collar Box.....50c to \$2.00	Chairs.....25c to \$4.00	Wagons.....50c to \$4.00
Book Racks.....\$1.50 and \$2.00	Baby Walker.....\$2.00	Air Rides.....75c, \$1.00, \$1.75
	Teddy Bears.....25c to \$2.50	Ingersoll Watches.....\$1.00 to \$2.50

Everything for the Christmas Tree—balls, moss, snow, etc. Best Candy in the town, 15c and 20c the pound. Strictly fresh Cakes, 15c lb.

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"THE TOY SHOP."

EVEN IF YOU HAD A NECK SORE THROAT

As Long As This Fellow, And Had ALL THE WAY DOWN

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WOULD QUICKLY RELIEVE IT.

A quick, safe, soothing, healing, efficacious remedy for sore throat, tonsillitis, laryngitis, and all throat troubles. Tonsiline relieves sore throat and laryngitis and prevents diphtheria, 25c and 50c. Diphtheria \$1.00. All Druggists. THE TONSILINE COMPANY, . . . Canton, Ohio.

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Useful Gifts

Nothing you can choose will be as useful and appreciated as much as a pair of spectacles or eyeglasses.

Kryptoks, the invisible bifocals, for far and near, are ideal gifts for the older folks.

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No "Drops" or Drugs Used.

INDIA IS NOW ON THRESHOLD OF NEW INDUSTRIAL ERA

Great Country Has Been in Comparatively Undeveloped State.

ENGLAND APPOINTS COMMISSION

British and Indian Experts Will Make Tour and Investigate Possibilities of Trade Expansion, War, Prosperity, and Education Cause Arousal.

By Associated Press.

SIMLA, India, Dec. 6.—India is on the threshold of a new industrial era. According to the opinion expressed generally by British and Indian business men and officials. This country, with its vast natural resources, is now in a comparatively undeveloped state industrially, but a great wave of sentiment in favor of instituting measures to insure immediate and substantial progress along this line appears to be sweeping the nation.

A concrete indication of the recognition of this feeling may be seen in the recent appointment by the government of an Indian industrial commission, made up of prominent British and Indian experts, who are about to start out from Simla on a country-wide tour for the purpose of investigating industrial possibilities and making a report upon which the government can institute measures that will enable India to meet trade conditions after the war. In appointing this commission the government announced that it believed the time had come to take up in a more comprehensive manner the question of the development of Indian industries and manufactures, and expressed sympathy with the eager desire of a large number of the people for advancement.

Several reasons are assigned for the seemingly sudden arousal of India from the lethargy which has acted as a damper to progress industrially thus far. The principal causes named are these:

India today is more prosperous than ever before in its history, and money is plentiful. This is due largely to the fact that the last four monsoon seasons, upon which the all important crops depend, have been good.

The war also has played an important part in this change of feeling, for one thing it has taught the people of India the importance of the world outside their own country. The vast bulk of the population is illiterate, and many for the first time are beginning to get an idea of geography, to learn that India is not the hub of the universe and that the world is filled with great nations which depend upon industry and trade for their powers. They also have seen that many of the necessities and luxuries which they were wont to get from other countries, and which might have been produced at home, have been cut off by the war.

Finally, industrial education, which has been increasing slowly but steadily, has had its effect. Years of labor in the various industrial schools and plant now he bearing considerable fruit.

WEAR EXPENSIVE FURS.

British Workmen Now Receiving High Wages.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—Workmen in expensive furs are a common sight in the great industrial centers of Great Britain owing to the high rate of wages now being paid, and the price of Musquash, American gray fox and skunk furs have advanced appreciably. London furriers are said to be overwhelmed with orders from the industrial centers for twenty, thirty and forty guinea coats with muffs and stoles in proportion, but owing to the drain of workmen for military purposes these orders are difficult to execute.

STUDY/POLICE METHODS

Turks Impressed With German Efficiency.

By Associated Press.
BERLIN, Dec. 6.—Turkey has become so impressed with the efficiency of the Berlin police that is has sent to Berlin the director of the Constantinople criminal department, Behaeddin Bey, to study the methods in vogue here, so that on his return he may reorganize the police of Turkey's capital and prudential cities, and introduce German methods there.

Behaeddin Bey among other things plans to introduce in Turkey the German equivalent of the Berlin system in vogue in America, and many of the German detective methods. There will also be published a bi-weekly newspaper for the "Intellectual enlightenment of Turkish police officials and the development of police methods."

VANDERBILT.

VANDERBILT, Dec. 6.—The second number of the Lyceum course given under the auspices of the Saturday Afternoon Club will be given in the Christian Church on Saturday evening, December 9. Rolfe McBride comes to us with excellent recommendations and is called "The Public Defender of Pittsburgh." The Christian Herald says: "Rolfe McBride has been called 'The Apostle of the Bums,' and others refer to him as the manager of a 'New Man Factory,' but the phrase that his best would be 'The Convict's Brother.'"

VANDERBILT, Dec. 6.—Ralph R. Dunn of Doylestown, Pa., is visiting at the home of his father, Watson Dunn of Duquesne Vista.

Attend the Bazaar, Presbyterian Church, Connelville, Thursday and Friday, December 7 and 8. Support served both nights.—Adv.

Mrs. Bruce Parker of Dickerson Run Hill, visited Mrs. John Pratt yesterday.

The Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Martin Myers of East Liberty.

Rev. D. C. White, B. H. Kell, Miss Nell Dunn and Paul Dunn of Duquesne Vista, William Hartwick, W. A. Cosgrove and son William, Jr., Miss Marie Moore and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wood of Dawson, were Connelville callers yesterday.

W. E. Evans has returned to his work in Uniontown after visiting for several days with his family here.

Harry Shallenberger is ill at his home in East Liberty.

Fred Leighty of Dunbar township, was a business caller here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Myers and son Billie of Buffalo, N. Y., are visiting Mrs. Myers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Strickler.

DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, Dec. 6.—The Gaddis Adult Bible Class will meet at the home of Miss Letitia McElhenny on Thursday evening.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Dunbar Methodist Episcopal Church will hold a ten cent tea at the home of Mrs. F. Riley December 7. The meeting will last from 2.30 to 5.30 P. M.

Master David McFarland, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. McFarland of Dunbar is ill with appendicitis, but is improving.

Mrs. Edna Scott of Dunbar is visiting relations in Butler county.

The Knights of Honor Class will meet at the home of Lloyd Drant Friday evening.

DUNBAR, Dec. 6.—J. W. Newbrough of Bryson Hill, has moved his family to Scottville where he is employed.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church are preparing to hold a Christmas bazaar and food sale on December 14 in the church.

Miss Pearl Elcher returned home from Wheeling, W. Va., where she spent the past few days with her sister, Mrs. Chester Riley.

Miss Jane Scott visited in Pittsburgh yesterday.

Mrs. Helen Jacobs was shopping in Connelville yesterday.

Mrs. Alma Rodkey was a Connelville shopper yesterday.

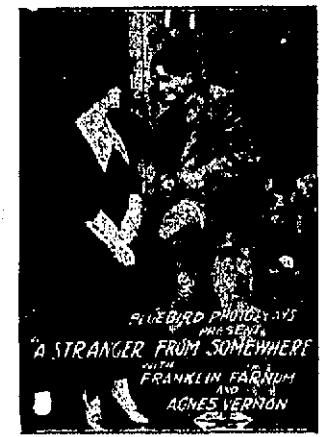
At the Theatres

SOISSON THEATRE.

"A STRANGER FROM SOMEWHERE"—A five reel Bluebird photodrama featuring Franklin Farnum and Agnes Vernon. It is an original comedy drama filled with thrills and laughs.

"The Emerald Pin," a two reel Laemmle drama. "Tina in Wonderland," a Powers juvenile comedy. "Accusing Evidence," a Big U drama. Tomorrow, Marie Walcott, Jack Holt and Eddie Polo in the third episode of the serial "Liberty." "American Blood" is the chapter of the third chapter and contains an actual production of the Mexican raid on Columbus, N. M.

He wanted a sensation and novelty. The parties have been his home, and when he made his first trip to a big city it was not surprising that he was



"Taped in" by a confidence gang, and robbed of a fat "roll." But the real surprise was meted out to the crooks when they unraveled the "bits" and found only slips of paper, cut to size. While enacting the hero in the "badger game" Sam Dracott only began a series of adventures that will be fully outlined in brilliant Bluebird photography, when "A Stranger from Somewhere" is exhibited at the Soisson Theatre tomorrow, with Franklin Farnum and Agnes Vernon playing the leading characters. Mr. Farnum enacts dual roles, that keep him might busy through five exciting acts and when the finish is arrived at there will be a "surprise" to cap the climax of cleverness in photographing which the Bluebird represents. There is not a dull moment in Farnum's moving picture life, if one may judge by what transpires in "A Stranger from Somewhere" and when matters get too complicated for one man to successfully cope with the situation, "double exposure," a mystifying camera trick, is used to convulse with laughter the beholders.

THE PARAMOUNT.

"FIFTY-FIFTY"—A Triangle production in five acts, with Norma Talma and J. W. Johnston in the leading roles, and "Tug-Boat Romeo," a Keystone comedy in two acts are being presented today.

In "Fifty-Fifty," a conventional school girl in the New York artist quarter. She marries happily, a baby comes to the little home and the wife cares only for her husband and child. The husband, however, does not settle down to home life. He is still inclined to the gayeties of the set in which he had become acquainted with Naomi, and when she refuses to take further part in the revels of the Bohemian crowd, he fares forth by himself. It is not long until he meets Helen Carew, a woman with a past and without conscience. Eventually Harmon's fondness for the other woman is found out by Naomi. She is heartbroken, particularly when Harmon goes so far as to ask her to divorce him in order that he may marry Helen. This she refuses to do. In a dramatic court room scene, the wife demands the custody of the child, declaring that her husband fit not the father of the infant. This apparent

sacrifice of reputation for mother love in the end brings about the happy reunion of the young couple. Miss Talma has always made an appealing mother and is said to give a particularly touching characterization in this play. An episode of real life, taken from the private memoranda of a criminal lawyer, was used in the making of the picture. The incident is what is commonly known as a "frame-up." Tomorrow, William Russell will be seen in "The Love Hermit," a five reel production of intense interest.

THREE NEW WILLS.

Pittstown invites Thirsty Traveler to Have a Drink.

Charles Nicholson of Connelville has completed the drilling of three new wells at Pittstown, on the properties of Mrs. Annie N. Phillips, C. Roy Atkinson and John Paul. Each was drilled to a depth of over 100 feet and excellent water was struck.

"If you are a weary and thirsty traveler next summer through Pittstown," reads an invitation from the new well owners, "stop and refresh yourself with a cooling draught from one of these wells. Pittstown people will treat you right."

OHIOFFLE.

OHIOFFLE, Dec. 6.—Mrs. Maxwell Rush and son Jack returned to their home here Monday after spending a short visit with relatives at Connelville.

Mrs. Frank Bailey and children returned to their home here Monday, after spending a few days with Connelville relatives.

R. V. Rieunour departed for Uniontown yesterday.

J. P. Woodman was a business caller at Uniontown yesterday.

Jackson Myers was calling on business matters at Connelville yesterday.

Mrs. I. M. Mitchell was shopping in Connelville yesterday.

Mrs. J. Woodman of Bidwell, was visiting relatives here yesterday.

J. W. Chuck butchered one of the largest hogs yesterday that has been heard of for some time. It was 6 feet 11 inches from tip to tip, and balanced the scales at 485 pounds.

Dr. J. R. Cotton of Dawson was a business caller here yesterday.

E. A. Jackson was a business caller in Uniontown yesterday.

Hurlin Liston of Uniontown was a business caller here yesterday.

Miss Annie Hall and Miss Annie Stull of Whig Corner, were shopping here yesterday.

Jerry Shipley of Bidwell, was a business caller at Connelville yesterday. A Schroyer and son of Maple Summit, were callers here yesterday.

PERRYOPOLIS.

PERRYOPOLIS, Dec. 2.—H. D. Shearer of Poplar Grove, was transacting business here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Burgess attended the funeral of Mrs. Burgess' brother at Somerset yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams and family of Connelville, were guests of friends in town for several days.

Dr. J. A. Strickler of Scottdale, was visiting friends here yesterday.

Mrs. Annie Blair and Miss May McKee were called to Clinton yesterday to see their brother, Joe, who is very ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Ira Blair was the guest of friends in Scottdale Sunday.

Read The Daily Courier.

Relief Has Been Wholesale.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—Foodstuffs that amounted to \$2,500,000 tons and valued at \$275,000,000 have been sent into Belgium and Northern France since the outbreak of the war by the Commission for Relief in Belgium, says a report just issued here. Besides foodstuffs the Commission has shipped into this war zone something like 5,000,000 articles of clothing.

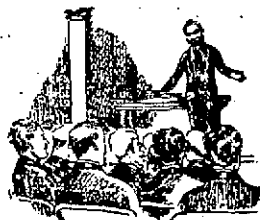
Headman Retires.

ERESLAU, Germany, Dec. 6.—Prussia's official headman—Lorenz Schwieler, has just retired after holding his unenviable position for 18 years—and with a record of 120 beheadings. He is now 67 years old.

Facts Versus Fallacies

FACT is a real state of things. FALLACY is an apparently genuine but really illogical statement or argument.

DAILY are FALLACIES reiterated by illy-informed Prohibitionists about the effect of alcohol upon those who use it, and in this connection it is interesting to turn to some scientific FACTS that were presented in a lecture before the New York Academy of Medicine on April 6th last, upon the physiological effects of moderate doses of alcohol on man, by Dr. Francis G. Benedict. The content of this lecture was printed as a leading article in that representative publication "Science" on June 30, signed by Duncan S. Johnson of Johns Hopkins University. The salient point made was this:



"ALCOHOL in not too large doses, taken by the mouth, is undoubtedly burned in the body, and in this burning gives off heat which replaces equivalent energy ordinarily derived from food or body substance. This has been absolutely demonstrated by Professor Atwater and his associates with the respiration calorimeter at Wesleyan University, Middletown, Conn. This scientific proof of the important role that moderate doses of alcohol may play in the human energy economy finds verification in the mastery, statistical studies of Armand Gautier in Paris, who has shown that there are certainly several million people who regularly receive in their daily diet somewhat more energy in the form of alcohol than

they do in the form of protein. What has been demonstrated of the French is probably true of many others. Thus we see that a psychological study of alcohol is, on abstract scientific grounds, essential to a complete understanding of the materials regularly ingested which serve as the sources of energy to the body."

INTERPRETATIONS of the results of alcohol upon the human system have been confusing and misleading because of the preconceived FALLACIES of Prohibitionists and other "dry" agitators who imparted their foolish notions to the public. But when the scientific investigations of medical experts come as authoritative FACTS, the temperate use of alcohol is shown to be beneficial.

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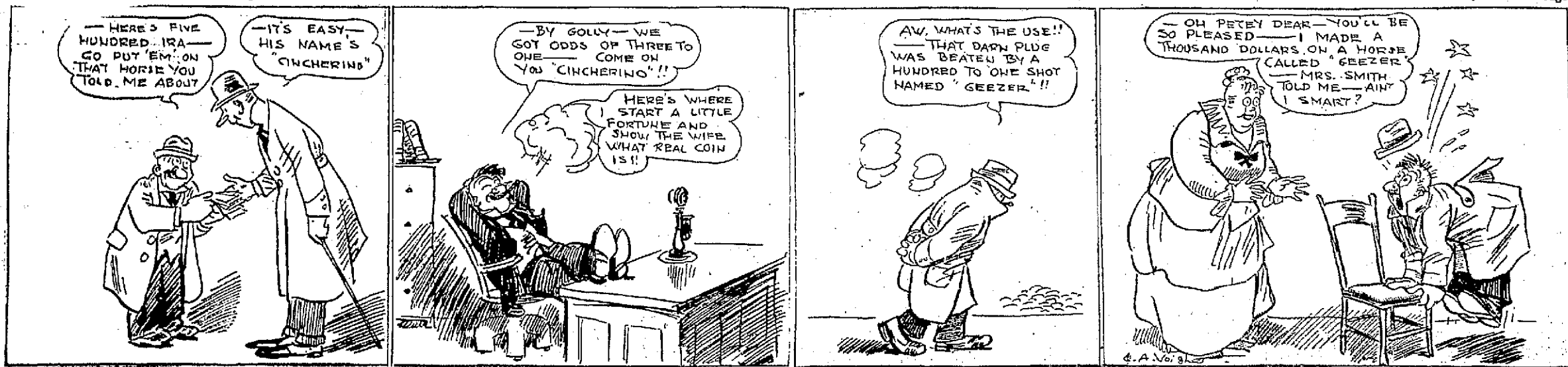
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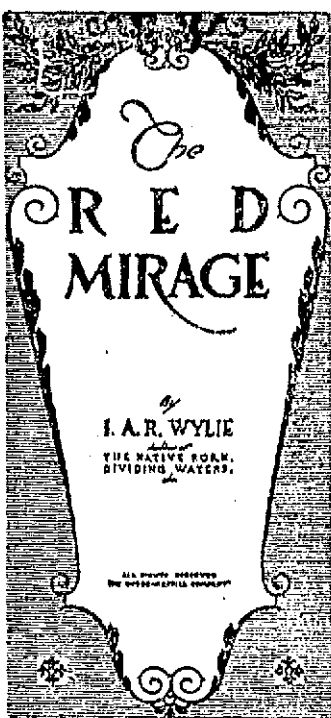
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PETEE DINK—Hard to Get Along With a Wife Like T-hat



By C. A. Volght.



Parquhar turned from him to Gower, the latter's features had assumed a look of ironical acceptance.

"In that case there is no more to be said," he observed coolly. "We can do credit Mr. Parquhar's statement."

Parquhar bowed.

"Thank you," he said simply.

He went down the narrow stairs into the street. Someone touched him on the arm. A new Arab, grown, almost indifferent. He was smiling, and the faint reflection from his clear lighted up the white complexion of his features.

"I want to speak to you for a moment," he said. "I want to ask you—why did you do that?" Parquhar made no answer, and he went on deliberately. "You are not man. You do not love me. You have good reason to hate me."

"You are to be Miss Omer's husband. My feelings toward her have not changed. I considered it my business to defend you. The sacrifice was not so great as it may seem. I had lost practically everything before. What remained I chose to lose in my own way."

"It wasn't all for myself. I was pretty desperate and not so cool when Love came with his second offer. You can guess what that was. Compared to betraying one's own country it seemed clean business. And I let you bear the brunt. How does that strike you?"

"True—the instinct of self-preservation. I counted on it. The future will be different. I am not lost."

"How do you mean?"

Parquhar turned round and faced him with deliberate significance.

"It must be," he said. "As for me, I am done for. Though no one will speak of what has happened, the fact remains. Miss Omer believes in you and so do I to some extent. I am sufficiently in sympathy with you to credit the sincerity of your feelings. Am I justified?"

Arnaud met his eyes full.

"You are."

"What is it that I believe. I hold you in pawn. Captain Arnaud or your wife's happiness. If you fail her, if you risk her faith in you a second time, I shall not hesitate to act."

He lifted his hat ceremoniously and passed along the narrow street to the great thoroughfare beyond.

CHAPTER V.

Colonel Destin of the Legion. A thin-necked child from some tower in Sidi-el-Abbes announced the hour—four o'clock.

Colonel Destin looked up. From where he sat he could see the barracks yard, and beyond, the great stretch of other plain rolling to the horizon. A little to the right an Arab mosque lifted its white minarets against the sky, which hung heavily over the panting, lifeless country.

In the narrow, meanly furnished room the atmosphere was stifling. Colonel Destin's guest drew back into the thin patch of shadow. Colonel Destin himself smiled, and the thin lips under his imaginary moustache became indeliberately ruthless.

"Yes, you are quite right, Mr. Love," he was saying in his suave French. "I have something to sell—something quite valuable. In fact, but I do not choose to sell to you, that is all."

Stephen Love glanced up. His deformity was very obvious at that moment. He looked old, and physical exhaustion had stamped out the last trace of beauty from his thin features.

"Why not?" he asked.

"Is not that my affair?"

Colonel Destin brushed a speck of dust from his forehead. His slate-gray eyes flashed. He rose, and Love had no choice but to rise also.

"I have made you an indefinite offer, Colonel Destin," he said. "One day I may come with something different and perhaps then you will reconsider what you have said. Your life can be bound up definitely anywhere, not even in a desert, Colonel Destin."

The offer did not answer, appeared even to have forgotten his guest's existence. Stephen Love went out, closing the door softly behind him.

Someone tapped at Colonel Destin's door.

"If you please, my colonel, yesterday's bath from Oran."

Colonel Destin lifted his head.

"It is well. You will accompany me."

"My?"

"We shall need them."

He picked up his hat and led the way down the passage, the corporal following close beside him, his features composed in military indifference.

In the center of the yard a line of men huddled down up. Not a word of violent abuse of the sergeant nor the comments of a pale-faced lieutenant, much less the uniforms, had been able to transform them into soldiers. Only one thing was common to them all—misfortune. It was written in every lineament of their faces, in every language of gesture, from reckless defiance to sullen resentment and stoic resignation.

Colonel Destin read the language with the rapidity of custom. Before each recruit he stopped an instant, his hand eyes picking out the broken refinement of the prodigal from the brutality of fugitive crime. And at each he jerked out an imperative question.

"Your name?"

"Johnnie Harding, my colonel."

"Profession?"

"Doctor."

"Sergeant, keep an eye on him. He will show like the devil, or poison you. And this man?" There was a slight, scarcely perceptible change in the direction of his voice, a note of something that might have been surprise or even more than that—uneasiness. The man whom he confronted held himself with a cool, undisturbed dignity.

"Richard."

"Have you no surname?"

"No."



"I Have Something to Sell, but Not to You."

Destin glanced at the lieutenant, who, after a hurried glance to his notebook, shrugged his shoulders.

"No. 4005—calls himself Richard Nameless, my colonel."

"You do quarrel, I presume. Your last profession?"

"Traitor."

"You are English?"

"I am nothing."

There was a troubled pause. The man had answered fluently in French, without hesitation and without hesitations. And yet his eyes self-confidence jarred in that atmosphere of coyed and broken humanity, and was by contrast almost a challenge. The momentary interest died out of Colonel Destin's eyes, leaving a cold auger.

"That fellow is dangerous," he jerked back over his shoulder, and passed on.

Corporal Goetz hesitated an instant before the man thus summarized. He measured him, and the recruit answered the keen, deliberate gaze with the same steadfastness. A mutual recognition had been acknowledged; steel had rung against steel. Then suddenly the recruit's fiery blue eyes focused themselves on something beyond, and their expression—that of a man started into an instant's self-betrayal—caused the corporal to turn sharply.

A rare vision had appeared in the dull, colorless square. The iron gates had been opened, and against the background of the green avenue beyond there stood a woman—a slender, beautiful woman, such as but few of the best depicted inhabitants of those white walls had ever seen. She came slowly toward them, the face sunken and smiling, the lovely golden head, her soft muslin dress revealing each movement as something exquisitely balanced, absolutely free and confident in its youthful grace and health.

"Colonel Destin," she said, "I hope you are not angry with me. I have come to find my husband."

He lifted his hand reluctantly but instinctively to his head.

"I heard that Captain Arnaud's wife had arrived," he said roughly. "I want you to inform you that Captain Arnaud left the barracks half an hour ago, also that you have no business here and are interfering with my business. The sentry should not have let you pass."

"But I told him that I knew you and that you would be furious if he refused."

"Whereby, madame, you overstepped the limits of truth."

"Pardon me, I do know you. But since I intend, I will make good my retreat. Good evening, my colonel."

She turned her back on him and began to walk with untroubled dignity toward the gate. For an instant he hesitated, then overtook her.

"I have a word to say to the sentry," he said significantly. "I will accompany you. You say you know me. I have not seen you before."

"That is quite possible; but I have seen you." They had reached the gate and she stopped and looked up at him.

"Do you want to know when?"

"I am interested, I confess."

"It was about a year ago at night-time. I was sitting under the trees in the Cercle des Officiers, listening to the band. I remember it was rather dark, except for the lanterns, and the faces of the natives had made me nervous. Then came a bundle call and

I was really frightened. I thought it was an Arab uprising or something; instead you rode past—at the head of your regiment."

"I remember," he said, his face full of hard triumph. "It was the night I won my wages—two hundred and fifty francs in three days."

He was silent a moment, driving his spurred heel into the sandy gravel. Then he looked up at her.

"Why did you come to Algeria?" he said abruptly. "Why, above all, did you come to Sidi-el-Abbes? What is there for a woman here?"

"I was a tourist. I came on a mission—to find my brother."

"Your brother?"

"He was lost," she said almost in a whisper. "He had done wrong—and my father is a stern man—he was away—and we were afraid. We followed him to Algiers, and then we lost track. We never found him." The tears had gathered in her dark eyes.

"Colonel Destin—I do not know why I tell you this. It is silly of me. I loved him more than anything else in the world. You won't understand."

He laughed roughly.

"Oh, madame, even I understand loss."

"You? I thought—" She stopped with her eyes on his blanched face.

"Oh, colonel, I am so sorry. Somehow I didn't think of you like this. I am a little like you—and very beautiful."

"A poet of yours said that loss is common to the race. I can only hope that your loss may be mended."

"And yours, colonel?" she said softly.

"Mine can never be mended, madame. I am too old. Pardon me." He passed through the gate with her and helped her into the waiting carriage.

"Do you know it is twenty years since I last spoke to an Englishwoman?"

"And was yours a nice one?"

"She was a little like you—and very beautiful."

"You could have expressed yourself more prettily. Never mind. By the way, you do not speak English, colonel?"

"No," he answered absently. "I do not speak English."

"I must give you lessons. Come—home. Au revoir, colonel!"

"Au revoir, madame."

He stood at the white until he had lost sight of the small, sweet face under the parasol. A couple of Chasseurs d'Afrique came into the stable yard, and the French soldiers as they swaggered past, but he did not see them. A young Arab with a sprig of jasmine tucked gracefully behind his ear drew his burbanse closer around him with the aristocratic contempt of his race. Colonel Destin remained sightless and indifferent.

CHAPTER VI.

Richard Nameless.

"There is no god but one God. The Lord is great. I extol the sanctity of Allah."

There was silence. The man bent lazily over the low uneven mound stretched himself and listened, his face turned toward to the red ball of the sun. Beyond the crumbling wall of the eastern desert, their hands crossed upon their breasts, silent and motionless in the awful suspense of their worship.

The man who called himself Richard Nameless returned to his task. Gently and reverently he descended the clinging overgrowth and freed a bent and moldering cross from its burden.

"What is our faith compared to theirs?" he said with bitter scorn. "We plant the symbol of our belief over the bodies of men we called brothers, and then leave the body to rot and decay."

Corporal Goetz, lean, white hand dropped on to his knee. He was staring thoughtfully at the cross in front of him. In the fading light the letters stood out with a new distinctness.

"Philip Grey—No. 3112—Foreign Legion."

He had seen two men close to death, as you call it," he said quietly. "Out of them lies here. He was a young Englishman, and I had taken a fancy to him—heaven knows why, for our races do not love each other nowadays. There was a Frenchman, too, a Frenchman of our good country, and he contained out in the desert. We left him there without food or ammunition. You understand—I was his friend. Three days later I got permission to look for his bones. I found them and a few days later I buried them. There are legends on the desert, you know, and they make short-work of things. Well, I brought what was left—here."

Richard Nameless took a step nearer, as though to look closer into the German's secret features.

"Who are you?" he asked significantly.

"My name is Goetz von Berlichingen," was the mock pompous answer. "If you knew anything about Goethe, which, believe an Englishman, you don't, you would know that Goetz von Berlichingen was a robber-knight. I led them. It was my birthright. Then one day I killed—justly, as I believe, but neither according to the law of my country, nor my caste. And then I lost my birthright—forever." Richard Nameless drew a step nearer. The two features turned to the fading light in stern, implacable self-judgment, had a momentary awe and pity and a vague, shapeless recollection.

He passed on. Instinctively Richard Nameless drew himself up to a salute. It was answered with grave courtesy. For a moment the mantle of ruin had slipped from their shoulders, and two men faced man in honorable recognition of what had been. Then the slight, soldierly figure lost itself among the shadowy crosses.

Richard Nameless turned back to the desert. The Arabs had risen and an elder was praying aloud, his aged, wrinkled face bent in prayer, and his hands raised in supplication.

"With my face to Mecca and with a sincere heart I offer my prayers to Allah."

Mirage! For those dark-faced desert children Mecca opened the gates of Paradise; for the dream of unknown happiness they waited and prayed, and when their time came passed through the great shadow with fearless, triumphant confidence.

He went back to his work. With fierce, dogged energy he pulled away

the deep-rooted weeds and brought a pathetic look of care and order into the corner of the wilderness. For a moment he lingered over the grave which Goetz had leveled. The bald yet eloquent inscription touched him. He wandered vaguely who Philip Grey had been; if he too had paid a price and in the last hours of horror had still been satisfied.

Two women had entered the cemetery. Their white-clad figures flashed gaily in between the dark graves, and a clear, silvery laugh mingled with the faint Arab prayer.

"La lila lila lila!"

The younger woman stopped an instant and pointed with the tip of her parasol at the broken remnant of a cross.

"Look at these hands! Aren't they ridiculous? And the inscription—just a number, like a cow's!" She glanced back over her shoulder at her companion. "Miss Smith, I believe you are frightened. Do you think there are ghosts here? Well, perhaps there are, but I don't mind."

As yet the man standing immobile, hidden amid the forest of crosses, had escaped her notice. But he had heard her now, and shadowy and ghostlike enough in the dying light, awaited her approach. At the foot of the Englishman's grave she hesitated. The inscription



"Your Last Profession?" "Traitor!"

tion attracted her. With puckered brows she spelled out the badly cut letters, her soft voice touched with just the faintest ironical interest.

"Philip Grey—No. 3112—Foreign Legion."

Then she looked up involuntarily and saw the man who watched her, his hand gripping the head of the cross.

It was very quiet now. The Arab prayers were silent, and the white figures of the worshippers had vanished in the long olive grove leading back to Sidi-el-Abbes. Sylvia Arnaud's voice, when she spoke at last, sounded strained and harsh in the absolute quiet.

"Richard!" and then again, "Richard Nameless!"

He shook his head. "Not Richard Nameless," he answered. "Richard Nameless."

She seemed not to understand. Her lips were a little parted in the expression of that he remembered. She looked pitifully frightened and incredulous.

"I am sorry to have frightened you," he said gently. "I did not mean that you should ever see me—but you came here, and out in this desolate place you were the last person I expected. Pardon me."

"Yes—yes, it is a desolate place—it makes me frightened. But I was told it was something I ought to see—and a few minutes ago I wasn't frightened at all. Now—I see ghosts everywhere."

"I am one of them," he said.

She brushed her hand over her forehead as though indeed trying to dispel some terrifying specter. Her feeble effort to regain her previous laughing courage failed. She was white and trembling.

"I am No. 4005 of the Foreign Legion," he said. "Is there anything else that you need understand?"

"Yes—I must. I feel as though one of us two were mad. The Foreign Legion—just the last resort for all the riffraff of the world—criminals, gamblers, cheats—"

"I am one of them."

She was silent a moment, looking at him with large, thoughtful eyes, out of which the four had passed. When she spoke again her voice was full of a smoldering tenderness.

"I have thought of you so much lately, Richard. I couldn't understand why it was. You haunted me. It was as though something in the place made me think of you. I remembered all your little movements, the way you looked. I seemed to see you in others. I grew almost—how shall I say—homesick for you."

"You should have forgotten," he interrupted roughly. "I have gone out of your life. Look upon me now as what I am now—a mere shadow."

"Richard, who have you done?"

The tenderness had deepened. He clenched his hands in a movement of uncontrollable pain.

"Hasn't your husband told you?"

"No. We never mention your name. To me it is sacred."

"Richard's sake, Sylvia!" He stretched back his black brows marked in a straight line across his face. "I was turned out of the army for betraying my country's secrets."

"You—a traitor! Why?"

The monosyllable was like the stab of a knife in the silence.

"For a woman."

She drew back, her eyes were dark pools in which he saw no expression.

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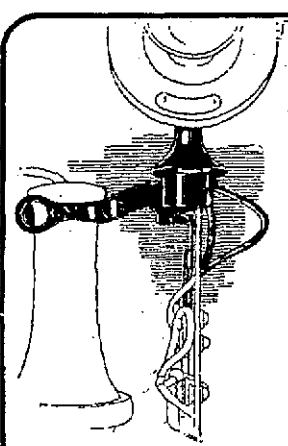
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has both the team and individual
scoring honors held by a Southern
eleven and player. A comparison of
the records of the leading teams of
the East, South and Middle West shows
that the Georgia Tech combination
scored 420 points in nine games with
Georgetown University a close second
with 312 while Left Halfback Gilroy,
of Georgetown, leads the individual
point collectors with a total of 139
points and Olinphant, of the Army team,
is second with 112.

Gilroy has scored 18 touchdowns
and 31 goals during the season to date
and still has a chance to increase
these figures in the contest to be played
against Tulane at New Orleans on
December 9. Olinphant's record is a
more versatile one since he has made
13 touchdowns, 22 goals and four field
goals. Maubetsch of Michigan, is a
close third with 12 touchdowns, 21
goals and one field goal. None of these
players equaled the record made by
Captain Barrett, of the Cornell eleven
of last year, for the latter rolled up a
total of 162 points with 22 touchdowns,
27 goals and one field goal. Gilroy was
second in 1915 with 96 points and
Hastings of Pittsburgh was third with
76.

The records of the leading eleven
in total points scored and the players
who have collected the largest number
of points, individually follow:

Team	Points	Player	Points
Georgia Tech	420	Gilroy	139
Georgetown Univ.	312	Olinphant	112
Tenn. State	248	Maubetsch	76
Minnesota	238	Barrett	162
Vanderbilt	228	Barrett	162
Notre Dame	225	Barrett	162
Harvard	218	Barrett	162
Pittsburgh	215	Barrett	162
Michigan	212	Barrett	162
Brown	205	Barrett	162
W. & J.	198	Barrett	162
Army	195	Barrett	162
Fordham	192	Barrett	162
Yale	185	Barrett	162

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Barrett	W. & J.	162	162
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Dr. J. R. Goodwin of Bowwood was
a business visitor Tuesday.

William Zecher of Pittsburgh, who
visited friends here and at Cheat
Haven last week returned home Tues-
day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Moser of Ruble
were through visitors Tuesday.
Mrs. M. L. Rola and Mrs. Hill Har-
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I made My Corn Crop," Ruth Brown-
field, Clyde Breakiron, Anna Houl-

Save Gold Bond
Trading Stamps



WRIGHT-METZLER CO.



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DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY! DO IT NOW!



FOR ONE WOMAN TO GIVE ANOTHER

We know of nothing more appro-
priate or more certain of keen appre-
ciation than one or several of these
beautiful sheer undergarments.
These will be packed in a pretty
Christmas box if so desired.

Crope de Chine Corset Covers, \$1.25
to \$2.00.
Muslin Corset Covers, 25c to \$1.50.
Crope de Chine Chemises, \$2.50 to
\$4.00.
Muslin Chemises, 65c to \$2.50 each.
Crope de Chine Gowns, \$1.50 to \$7.50.
Muslin Gowns, 50c to \$3.00 each.
Crope de Chine Petticoats, \$5.00 to
\$6.50.
Muslin Petticoats, 50c to \$5.00 each.
Crope de Chine Combinations, \$2.50
to \$5.00.
Muslin Combinations, \$1.00 to \$5.00
each.
Silk Petticoats, all good shades,
\$3.75 to \$5.50.
Crope Kimonos, at \$5 to \$7.50 each.
Cotton Crope Kimonos, at \$2.00 and
\$2.50 each.
Cardigan Sweaters, \$3.50 to \$10.00
each.

Many are the Uses of Linen Cluny Laces

We have an excellent assortment of these good
machine-made laces. They are all of linen thread,
come in pleasing patterns and many widths and are
not expensive.

Very Linen Cluny Lace Edges, 2 to 5 inches wide, for center
pieces and fancy work, at 25c to 50c a yard.
White Linen Cluny Lace Edges, 1 1/2 to 5 inches wide, for cur-
tain edges and fancy work, at 12 1/2c to \$1.35 a yard.

Gold and Silver Laces are Much in Demand

GOLD LACE EDGES, not
with gold and silver metal
edges, and all metal laces, 3
to 18 inches wide, at \$1.00 to
\$2.50 the yard.
GOLD AND SILVER flat
lace edges and bands to
match to retail at 50c and
55c the yard.

GEORGETTE CREPE, 40
inches wide, in black, white
and all good colors, \$2.00 yd.

FOR TRIMMINGS, in co-
ney, marlin, marmot, black
or brown skunk, and white
or grey beaver, 1 to 4 inches
wide, at 55c to \$5.50 the yard.

Wright-Metzler Black Silks Famous as Gifts

Many women come here year after year for Christmas Silks,
and especially for black silks; for they are sure of the fine qual-
ity of the goods.

There is no more acceptable present than a dress pattern of
W.-M. black silks, and the assortment is the best that we have
ever shown.

A great abundance of satins, tulle, faille, French lace, crepe
de chine and others. They are all priced as moderately as pos-
sible—some as low as \$1.25, some as high as \$5.00 the yard, and
many prices in between. Christmas Silks will be boxed on re-
quest.

Lots of Fun for Children in "Toyland"

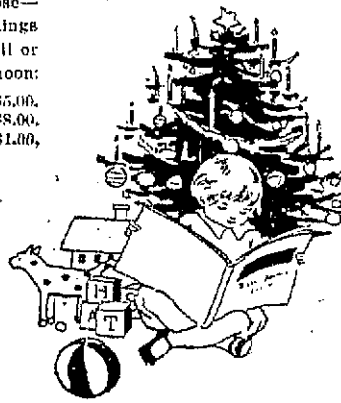
Let them all come and "look" just as often and as long as they choose—
and ask just as many questions. For there are so many interesting things
here to be seen and asked about that mother herself couldn't see them all or
fine out everything kiddies like to know about in one little short afternoon:

Erector

Even Daddy himself could
have heaps of fun with this in-
teresting and instructive toy
that boys learn to build things
with—big things like bridges
and ships and skyscrapers. Good
clean amusement for rainy days
and long winter evenings.

In many different sizes at \$1
to \$15 the set.

Tool Chests, all sizes, \$1.50 to \$5.00.
Doll Baby Carriages, \$1.50 to \$9.00.
Doll Trunks, many sizes, 50c, \$1.00,
\$2.00 each.
Schoenhut's Cracker, Jack
Crown and equipment, 50c each.
Character Dolls, 25c, 50c, \$1
to \$5.
Toy Soldiers, 50c and \$1 set.
Schoenhut's Humpty Dumpty
Circus, \$1 to \$3.50.
Cro-Auto-Cars, high and low
gear, electric tail and headlights,
band brake, \$15 each.
Conster Wagons, \$2.25 to \$4.
Automobiles to sell \$5 to \$20.



Be Sure to Hear the "Little Wonder" Phonograph, \$3.50 each

Suitable Gifts for Father and the Boys



If you want to make Dad chuckle with appreciation, give him
something that will add to his own personal comfort. It needn't be
too expensive—price doesn't count with him. Just something to slip
on when his day's work is over, or something else he happens to be
needing just now. And don't forget—he's entirely too practical to
find pleasure in anything that isn't of good, practical, every day use.

Bath Robes in many good col-
ors and styles, and all sizes.
Blanket Robes at \$3.50 to \$10.00.
Terry Cloth Robes, \$4.00, \$5.00
to \$7.50.

Boys' Bath Robes at \$3.00 and
\$3.50.

Genuine Walrus Traveling
Bags, elegant trimmings, all
leather lined, English frame and
locks. Price \$17.50.

Special Cowhide Traveling
Bags, leather lined and worth
\$15.50. Our price \$12.50.

A very special leather Travel-
ing Bag, leather lined and brass
trimmed, sizes 16, 17 and 18 in.
Price \$5.00.

Leather Suit Cases, tan and
black, leather lined, 24 inch size,
at \$5.00 to \$15.
Sweaters, all colors and styles,
\$1.50 to \$10.00.

IT'S CHRISTMAS IN THE ART NEEDLEWORK SECTION

If you are perplexed as to what to give, just pay a visit to this interesting depart-
ment and see the scores of beautiful and useful pieces of Art Needlework.

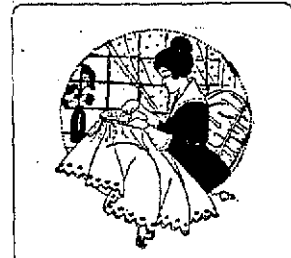
Novelty Bags for knitting and
crochet work. Fancy tapestry ma-
terials in rich colorings; also crea-
tione and fancy striped silk.
Prices 65c to \$4.50.

Silk Yarns in rich color
combinations, trimmed with floral
buds, ribbons and tinsel combina-
tions. Prices \$2 to \$5.00.

Noise Covered Novelties, such as
blue and rose candlesticks at \$1.25
each; powder boxes at \$1.00 each;
twine holder and scissors at \$1.00
each; and Hair Pin Cabinets at
\$1.75 each.

Hand Painted Coat Hangers and
Shoe Trees to match, \$3.50 the set.

Separate Hand Painted Coat
Hangers, \$1.50 and \$1.75 each.
Pin Cushion and Safety Pin
Holders, 35c each.



Coat Hangers, Shoe Trees and
Shoe Horns, put up in fancy
cotton covered case and lined
with felt. Price \$1.75 complete.

Manicure and Toilet Cases, put
up in a fancy ornate water-
proof case; very useful when
traveling. Price \$2.00 complete.

Maire Covered Desk Sets, four
and six pieces to the set, old rose
and blue. Price \$3.50 and \$5.00 the
set.

Small Crocheted Emergency Bags,
containing pins, needle, thread,
hooks, darning silk, and thimble.
Price 50c each.

Fancy Bags, stamped on tan lin-
on, to be embroidered in satin
stitch, single stitch and outline.
Such pretty shades as blue, green,
gold and black. Price 50c each.

Sweet Grass Baskets, all sizes
and styles, round, square, oval.
Prices 50c to \$3.75.

Fancy Pin Cushions, in such good
styles as Japanese, Bride's and
many others. Prices 35c to 65c
each.

Pullman Aprons, to retail for
\$1.25 each.

From the Advertising Note Book

The demonstration of Mrs. Denn,
a famous French line of Toilet
preparations, now being conducted
in our toilet goods section by Miss
Mae Morse, will continue until
Christmas.

The engraving of your name from
our cutting card plate upon one of
our famous Christmas Greeting
Cards requires some little time—
about 10 days. So it is very im-
portant that orders for these be left
immediately. Prices go from 25c
to \$2.75 a dozen.

Every week from now until
Christmas we will receive fresh
shipments of our celebrated San
Marian Assorted Chocolates. Regu-
lar 50c candy which we sell for 32c
the pound box.

Hundreds of Aprons are arriving
now for the benefit of Christmas
shoppers. There are round and
square aprons at 25c to \$1.00. Some
are plain; others embroidery trim-
med.

While deciding upon your gifts it
is well to remember the pleasure
and satisfaction you derive from
your Cedar Chest and Mattress
Boxes. Your friends would like
them, too. We have them in vari-
ous styles and sizes at moderate
prices.

Yards and Yards of Novelty Christmas Ribbons

Flowered Ribbons in lovely patterns and colorings for
the making of holiday gifts. The widths range from 5 1/2
to 7 inches, and the qualities are very superior.

SPECIAL!—One lot of fancy Ribbons for Hairbows or fancy
work. White grounds with pink, blue, yellow or lavender floral de-
signs. Dark grounds with self and contrasting colors; 4 to 6 inches
wide. SPECIAL AT 25c THE YARD!

Lest Tiny Tots Might be Forgotten We Offer a Few Suggestions

Some of these suggestions are intended for amuse-
ment only; others are of practical every day utility, while
ALL are fresh, clean and new, and still better—very mod-
erately priced, quality considered.

Infants' Dresses to sell for 25c to \$3.50.
Infants' Coats to sell for \$2.50 to \$5.00.
Brush and Comb Sets, 75c to \$3.00 Set.
Infants' Petticoats, fine values, at 50c
to \$1.50.
Infants' Caps, to retail for \$2.50 to \$5.
Rattles and Teething Rings, 25c and
50c.
Water Bottles, 50c to \$1.00 each.
Infants' Sweaters, \$1.00 to \$3.50 each.
Infants' Caps, to sell for 25c to \$3.50.
Infants' Booties, at 15c to \$1.50 pair.
Bibs, 25c and 50c each.
Saucers, 50c to \$2.00.
Flosters to sell for 25c to 50c.
Roly Polys to sell for 50c.
Coat Hangers, 25c to \$1.00 each.
Infants' Records, 50c to \$1.50.
Infants' Pairs, \$1.50 to \$3.50.



Our Holiday Sale of MILLINERY!

Is affording just the opportunity to
buy the best styled hats of the sea-
son, hats with the quality which
only Wright-Metzler Hats in Con-
necticut can have—and pay but a
fraction of what they are really
worth. The assortment was large
but scores are being selected each
day, so you had better act quickly.

Save Half

On your choice of every trimmed
hat in our stock except gold and
silver lace models and fur hats. A
beautiful collection.

Save a Third

On your choice of all models in
ladies' plush. These are mostly
sailor styles in various sizes and
shades.

Save a Fourth

On your choice of every Fur hat in
our stock regardless of their beau-
ty and style.



Veils and Veilings

A capital holiday sugges-
tion and a practical one.

Chiffon Veils with 2 in.
hemstitched border, show-
erproof, at \$2 and \$2.50.

Novelty Veilings, small
figures and scroll effects,
rose, purple, copen, green,
grey and tan, with borders,
at 25c to 50c yard.

Semi-Made Skirts for Christmas Presents

Semi-made Skirts are a special
feature of our Dress Goods Depart-
ment. They gain in popularity each
season as women learn how effec-
tively they solve their skirt-making
problems.

Select your materials from our
entire stock of

Woolen Goods, Silks,
Velvets and Corduroys

And have a skirt made to meet any
individual's particular require-
ments by New York's most fashion-
able tailors. A great variety of
plaid styles are now in vogue.

Prices Very Moderate

MEMORIAL TO VANDERBILT

Victim of Luetlihan Disaster Honored
in England.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 5.—To commemorate
the memory of A. G. Vanderbilt, who
was drowned by the sinking of the
Luetlihan, and his association with
English coaching for a number of
years, members of the Coaching Club
propose to erect a granite column on
Holmwood Common near Dorling, by
the main road from London to Bright-
on, traversed by Mr. Vanderbilt's
"Venture."

The plan has been submitted to the
Dorling Rural District Council for ap-
proval. It is intended to erect similar
memorials at other parts of the route.

Do You Want Anything?

If so, try our classified columns.
One cent a word.

If you're going to have good health,
feel well, enjoy winter, you've got to
keep your bowels regular. Water's
indoor life, heavy foods, clogs them up.
Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea cleans
them out, and does it quick. It's to
make you feel well and keep well,
35c. Ten or Tablets, Connelville
Drug Co.—Adv.

Do You Want Help?

Try our classified ads. One cent a
word. Results follow.

SOISSON-THEATRE CHILDREN "THE HOUSE OF LILIES" ADULTS 5 TO-DAY 10

AGNES VERNON AND FRANKLYN FARNUM IN THE BLUEBIRD
COMEDY DRAMA

"A Stranger From Somewhere"

TWO REEL LACEDRAMA

"The Emerald Pin"

"Irma In Wonderland"

"Accusing Evidence"

—TOMORROW—

"LIBERTY"

THIRD EPISODE FEATURING MARIE WALCAMP.

IF YOU HAVE ANYTHING FOR SALE TRY OUR CENT-A-WORD ADS

PARAMOUNT THEATRE TODAY

The Home of the Pipe Organ.

TRIANGLE PLAYS PRESENT, NORMA TALMADE IN

"FIFTY-FIFTY"

FINE ARTS PRODUCTION IN FIVE ACTS.

ALSO KNOWN COMEDY

"TWO-ROD ROMEO"

IN TWO ACTS.

—TOMORROW—

MUTUAL PRESENTS WILLIAM RUSSELL IN

"THE LOVE REBEL"

DRAMA IN FIVE ACTS.

ALSO A CUB COMEDY.

TRY OUR CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.